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Statesmen Say "Big Three" Will Meet Senate Half Way In Pact

By ED L. KERN
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LONDON, Dec. 13.—Allied representatives in conference here have decided definitely to let Russia settle its own difficulties, it was learned authoritatively today.

The outstanding result of the conference of the "big three" here late yesterday is that Great Britain, France and Italy are showing an inclination to accept "reasonable" reservations to the peace treaty by the American senate, according to opinion expressed in official circles today.

Premier Lloyd George, Premier Clemenceau and Foreign Minister Scialoja, meeting in Downing street while great crowds of the curious gathered outside, are believed to have touched on this point and discussed how far concessions could be made to the United States to insure her co-operation without complicating the already tangled international situation. American Ambassador Davis and a Belgian representative were called into the conference.

One official said that "as the price for American aid" he believed "the Allies are prepared to swallow most of the senate's reservations providing it can be arranged."

May Meet Senate Half Way
European statesmen, he continued, "are realizing what American isolation will mean and they are fast embracing the idea it is possible to meet the senate at least half way to enable ratification of the treaty. If the senate understood this it might make its attitude somewhat."

M. Locheur, French minister of reconstruction, was summoned by Clemenceau during the conference and is reported to have been questioned regarding America's alleged refusal to extend further credits to European countries.

In connection with the international financial situation, Austin Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, has sent a letter to the Post giving business men to bring money and investments from America to help balance the exchange.

While American exchange is in its present position, I regard it as not only important, but as obviously good business for money accruing to British citizens in the United States to be brought to England," he wrote. "It would be further helpful if investments in American mortgages were realized and repatriated."

The German situation is reported to have been discussed by the "big three" without difficulty. The conference was generally described as a "continuation of the peace conference."

The conference, in which Premier Lloyd George, Premier Clemenceau, Foreign Minister Scialoja and American Ambassador Davis participated, was said to have determined not to deal with the bolsheviks and at the same time to refuse further aid to General Deniken and Admiral Kolchak, anti-bolshevik leaders.

AIR DEPARTMENT IS URGED BY U. S. ACES

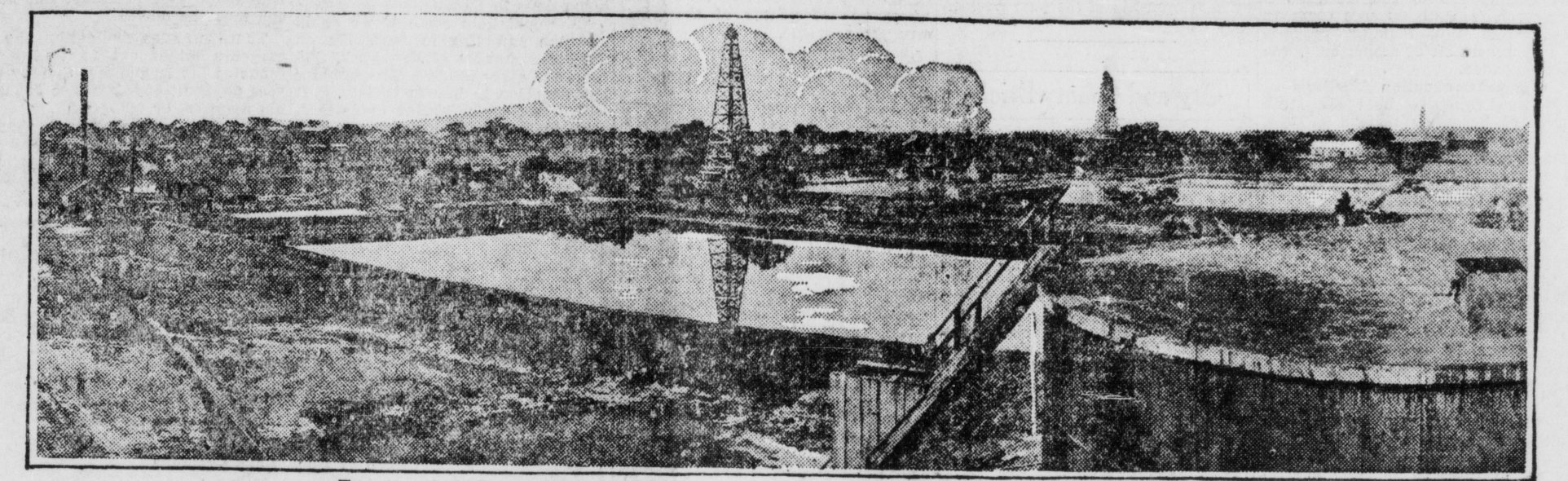
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Five American aces, credited with having brought down more than fifty German airplanes, advocated before the house subcommittee creation of an aeronautical department of the government to co-ordinate all aerial activities. The group included Capt. "Eddie" Rickenbacker, officially credited with twenty-seven air victories in France; Maj. Charles J. Egidio, Philadelphia; Capt. F. E. Kindley, Gravette, Ark.; Maj. J. A. Meissner, Birmingham, Ala.; and Capt. J. A. Healey, Washington. All asserted the air forces in France would have been much more efficient if administered by a department of airmen.

Will Test New Generation
Germany has been crippled by the war and it is for the new generations growing into manhood to come to the test of strength. We will have to bear the greatest part of the present burdens, which if paid off by the present generation, wounded and bled as it is after five years of warfare, would kill us and our offspring, the preventing Germany's present creditors from getting the great part of what is their due."

Previous to meeting Herr Krupp von Bohlen, I had already talked with several of the leading men of

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Protection In Mexico Urged By Oil Men



Tampico oil field owned by Americans where many outrages have been committed by Mexicans.

Rush of Christmas Mail Is Started in Santa Ana And Will Increase Daily

A lot of people back East have been shopping early, and a lot of them have been taking postal advice about mailing packages early. That these two statements are true is evidenced at the Santa Ana post office in the incoming mails. For several days the parcel post mail has been increasing. Yesterday there were about five sacks of packages very clearly meant for Santa Claus' inspection, for most of the packages carried an inscription saying "Not to be opened 'till Christmas."

Outgoing mail has also been increasing rapidly. The rush of outgoing mail will reach its peak four or six days before Christmas, while the peak of incoming mail will be reached probably on the day before Christmas.

In order to handle the distribution of Christmas packages, the post office has constructed a framework of lumber divided off by chicken wire into compartments, each compartment being for a city or rural route.

"With the rush at the post office now on," said Postmaster Overshiner today, "it is more necessary than ever that we urge those who have packages to go east to see to it that they are mailed at once."

"Delay in mailing here means almost certainly that there will be delay in the East, where transportation facilities are somewhat awry. Anyone who waits until five days before

Christmas for mailing a package goes up to \$25; ten cents for value up to \$50; twenty-five cents for value up to \$100.

"Remember the insurance feature of the parcel post: Three cents for value up to \$5; five cents for value up to \$25; ten cents for value up to \$50; twenty-five cents for value up to \$100."

"Address your packages plainly and with the name of the sender on the upper left-hand corners of the same. Pack them well."

"Remember the C. O. D. feature of the parcel post."

"Seventy pounds can be sent up to first, second and third zones; fifty pounds in the remaining zones."

Government Aid Sought to Preserve Lives and Capital Below Border

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—American oil interests are bringing all the pressure possible to bear on senators and representatives here to have some action taken that will permit the uninterrupted development of oil in Mexico, and particularly in the Tampico district which is one of the richest fields.

By orders of President Carranza, Americans are prevented from extending their drilling operations and a serious shortage of fuel oil it is declared will develop if production is curtailed, as great dependence is placed on Mexican oil to keep up the supply in the United States. This is particularly true of fuel for the navy and for the southwestern railroads.

Trouble has been rampant in the Tampico district for years. It is the stronghold of bandit gangs who have levied tribute on oil companies operating there. The companies have paid the bandits regularly to keep the peace but in spite of that fact there have been many Americans killed in that section.

The Tampico district troubles, it is expected, will be brought to the fore by the oil interests in an effort to have the United States take steps to protect American capital invested there as well as the lives of citizens.

Union Oil Company Will Start Drilling Soon In Canyon Near Capistrano

WITH three carloads of lumber at the depot in Capistrano and road grading work now in progress, the Union Oil company soon will be drilling for oil near the mission town in the southeast portion of Orange county.

The location decided on for the first well is on the north slope of a ridge in Orono Canyon, two miles and a half northeast of Capistrano. A big force now is at work making a road to the site, permission to cross private property having been given by Oscar Rosenbaum and Richard Esan.

Manifestation by the Union Oil Company that it will attempt the pioneering of a new prospective oil field has aroused considerable excitement and interest at the mission town. Owners of property in the vicinity are watching every move made with keen interest, for should a good well be brought in, many of them would become immensely wealthy through their holdings.

J. J. Harrison of this city, who owns a valuable walnut orchard on the road to the San Juan Hot Springs, is among the land owners who are within the district. It is said that the ridge upon which the Union will sink its first hole is on a line with the well now being bored on the W. K. Robinson ranch in Trabuco canyon, which lends further interest to operations on the Robinson

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\$10,000 IS DEMANDED FOR EACH U. S. MAN

Wealthy Mexican Rancher, and Englishman Seized; Worry at Border

EAGLE PASS, Tex., Dec. 13.—Eight Mexicans, two Americans and one Englishman were reported captured by Villistas in their raid on Musquiz, according to reports reaching the border today. The men are held for ransom.

Demands of \$5,000 each for the Mexicans and \$10,000 each for the Americans have been made. Among the Mexicans held is Don Miguel Musquiz Pena, one of the wealthiest ranch owners in Mexico. He was captured when his home was looted and his wife escaped by running to Rosita, several miles distant.

There is some confusion as to the identity of the Americans reported kidnapped. One is said to have been a ranch owner and the other a lumber man from Eagle Pass, but their true identities have not been established.

The Villistas left Musquiz Friday at 2 p. m., taking the same direction over the hills towards Chihuahua as that from which they came.

Uneasiness is evidenced today on the Mexican side of the border here. No one slept on the Mexican side of the line last night and lights were kept burning in the houses until daylight. The Mexicans fear that the Villistas are headed northward.

35 BELOW ZERO AND FACING FUEL FAMINE

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 13.—Facing a fuel famine the inland empire is shivering in the grip of temperatures ranging from 18 to 35 below zero. Fuel is being rationed out in small quantities in practically every inland empire town.

There will be no 1920 peach crop at all, according to Yakima dispatches today. With 16 below the danger point for peach trees, the temperature went down to 22 below and is expected to drop.

Hundreds of schools in this section were closed.

SAYS SINN FEINERS GAVE AID TO ENEMY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Irish republic leaders today were accused of giving aid and comfort to the enemy during the war, by George L. Fox of New Haven, Conn., in reopening the hearings on the Irish question before the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

Fox said that the men in this country who did what the Sinn Feiners have done have been treated more drastically than the Irish. The Sinn Feiners do not have the backing of a majority of the Irish Catholics in this country, he said.

DAY OF RACE SUICIDE NOW PAST IN FRANCE

PARIS, Dec. 13.—Race suicide is a thing of the past for France. For the first time in years the birth rate in Paris is exceeding the number of deaths.

This is due principally to the large number of marriages immediately after the war. Last week's figures were: Deaths, 770; Births, 1015.

The maternity hospitals are overcrowded and in most of them cots have had to be placed in the corridors. All Paris newspapers are participating in the "for more babies" campaign, and the government is being urged to take immediate steps to provide more hospitals.

DRIVES OUT BOLSHIEVIKI LONDON, Dec. 13.—Messages received today reported that the Bolsheviki have again been driven from Kiev and that General Denikin is advancing eastward.

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DRY LAW ACCEPTED IN FORTY-FOUR STATES
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Forty-four States have officially notified the State Department of their ratification of the prohibition constitutional amendment, according to a statement sent to the Senate today in response to a resolution. Virginia heads the list, having reported ratification on January 17, 1918, with Kentucky following two days later. New York's report was received September 8, 1918.

ROCKEFELLER PROPERTY
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The actual value of the taxable personal property of John D. Rockefeller, Sr., in New York, is \$1,945,000, according to a statement filed by his representatives.

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Divorcees-to-be, heed these words: "When shaking hands with anyone of the opposite sex, always consult your wrist watch to make sure your hand is not in his more than one second."

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ANITA BALDWIN ENDS LEASES OF JAPANESE
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 13.—Declaring that she believes the "Yellow Peril" is a real peril, Mrs. Anita Baldwin, daughter of the famous "Lucky" Baldwin, announced today she had cancelled the leases of all Japanese tenants on her property in California when the crops now are harvested. About 50 are affected.

GABY DESLYS SUFFERS 9TH THROAT OPERATION
PARIS, Dec. 13.—Gaby Deslys is in a serious condition following the ninth operation on her throat. The doctors refuse to state the extent and nature of the malady, but it is believed to be ulcer of the throat.

It is said Gaby offered 100,000 francs if she could be cured without leaving scars or wounds in her neck, but a well-known admirer has promised to give her a pearl dog collar big enough to hide the marks, even effective when the crops now are harvested. About 50 are affected.

SHIPS IN DISTRESS OFF EASTERN COAST
HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 13.—Reports of steamers in distress continue to be received here following the gales which have been sweeping the Nova Scotia coast.

The marine and fisheries department has been notified that the steamer West Loftus, which had the United States Shipping Board steamer near David's Island in tow, has sprung a leak and is racing for the nearest port, presumably Halifax, while the Davidson County is again helpless, with the U. S. coast guard steamer Apache steaming to her assistance.

The steamer E. D. Kingsley, Montreal to Halifax, in ballast, is ashore at Whitehead and the steamer Sheba is calling for assistance from a point 330 miles east of Halifax.

Sydney reports having received a message from the steamer Pro Patria, which maintains a service between St. Pierre, Miquelon and Halifax, asking for assistance.

The Greek steamer Platea is still ashore at Sable Island and no further word had been received of the British steamer Hornsea in distress near Sable Island. The Chetopa, reported with a damaged propeller, is 250 miles off Halifax.

The Lake Elmsdale is resting on a gravel beach at Blue Cape and the Lake Dalewood is on a sandy beach at Port Hood Island. Wrecking tugs have left to aid them.

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BULLETINS
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—What is believed to be the first commercial international airplane line was launched today when Capt. T. C. Paine of Riverside received a joint permit from Gov. Cantu of Lower California and Secretary of State Lansing to operate airplanes across the border from Southern California cities to Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—President Wilson walked today for the first time since shortly after he became ill. During the weekly visit of Dr. F. X. Dercum, Philadelphia specialist, the president walked from his bed to the desk in his sick room. Dr. Dercum declared Wilson greatly improved. Appointment of a taking his patient for a short motor ride.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 13.—Navy department officials today said they had no further word from the U. S. fuel ship Neptune which has been reported in distress off the west coast of Mexico. The repair steamer Vesel has gone to her aid. The Neptune has engine trouble but is not considered in danger.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—"Practically all union coal miners will be back at work by Monday," Acting President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers declared today. "Local troubles may keep a few men away but their numbers will be negligible." Appointment of a commission to investigate the entire coal controversy is contingent on the miners returning to work. Announcement of this commission is not expected until Monday.

CHARGES RAILROADS EMPLOY PROPAGANDA
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Charges that an organized propaganda has been started by the railroad interests to force passage of the Cummins railroad bill were made by Senator Norris of Nebraska, this afternoon in a speech to the Senate.

After voicing the allegations, Norris introduced a resolution asking the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee to investigate to what extent railroad executives are conducting a propaganda to influence Congress and how much money they are spending. Norris read newspaper clippings declaring one million dollars has been raised by railway officials to spend in a campaign to secure enactment of the Cummins bill.

Senator Pomerene of Ohio, declared that a propaganda is also being conducted against the Cummins bill and in favor of the Plumb plan of railway control.

Norris offered to accept an amendment to his resolution covering this point. Senator Cummins gave notice that he intends to keep his bill before the Senate continuously through the December recess if it does not pass before the holidays. He declared that if a filibuster is started he will invoke the cloture rule.

ASKS NAVY TO HUNT D. W. GRIFFITH PARTY
NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Frank R. Wilson, of the David Wark Griffith Moving Picture Corporation, has requested the Navy Department to aid in a search for Griffith and a party of twenty actors who left Miami, Fla., Wednesday bound for the Bahamas Islands. When no trace of the party could be found yesterday Wilson sent out a searching party from Miami. Today he appealed to the navy. The trip ordinarily would take 12 hours.

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Head of Big Works Asserts They Are Trying to Look Forward In Germany

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Krupps, who are interested in seeing their country and their plant back on their feet. Among these were Herr Fritz Homann, Herr Geheime Rat Weidelt and Dr. Speir. All expressed positive and none too optimistic views of Germany's present situation but had a certain degree of hope for the future, provided the rest of the world was willing to "bury the hatchet," and extend credit.

Herr Homann showed me over the immense plant. I saw big guns being broken up and scrapped. I saw how big departments, formerly devoted to fulfillment of the Hindenburg program, either were building into manufacture of locomotives, cars, ties, accounting machines, cream separators, etc., or were temporarily idle, awaiting the time when Krupp efficiency should transfer them into factories pulsating with peace time pursuits.

Will Try Anything
"We are ready to undertake anything which can be profitably made and which will conform with the Krupp standards of efficiency and quality," Herr Krupp von Bohlen told me. "For instance, we may make as a single item a portable dust and refuse receptacle. Heretofore these were produced by individuals, but they can be made on a large scale, according to certain standards."

"We expect in the course of the next six months to turn out one locomotive and ten cars daily. We are ready to supply entire railway systems. All we need now is orders."

It may be stated Krupp intends to acquire Herr Krupp von Bohlen's idea that the former kaiser was a stockholder or even that the government was interested financially in Krupp.

Employees in the Essen plant proper in July, 1914, were 41,263 and in other works 39,028, a total of 80,291. In June, 1918, Essen employed 112,350 and the outside works 58,641, a total of 171,001. Today the Essen plant has 44,758 and the outside works 40,116, a total of 84,874.

PRICES IRREGULAR AT OPENING OF MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Prices were irregular at the stock market opening today. United States Steel opened at 10 1/4, up 1/4; Republic 10 1/2, off 1/4; Studebaker 10 3/4, up 1/4; Southern Pacific 9 1/2, off 1/4; General Motors 31 1/2, up 1/2; Tobacco Products 8 1/2, unchanged; International Paper 7 3/4, up 1/4; United Retail Stores 8 1/4, up 1/4; U. S. Rubber 12 1/2, up 1/4; Sinclair 42, unchanged; Pan American, 99 1/2, off 1/4; and Mexican Petroleum 18 1/2, up 1/4.

WILLARD TO ANSWER PROFITEERING CHARGE

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 13.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, was to appear before a United States commissioner here today to answer charges of profiteering. Willard was alleged to have sold wood at an excessive price during the coal shortage.

OPPONENTS OF IRISH SEPARATION ON FLOOR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Opponents of Irish separation from the British empire had the floor today when the foreign affairs committee met to continue discussion of Representative Mason's bill appropriating funds for an American ambassador to the "Irish Republic."

SAN BERNARDINO IS STILL AFTER REFUND

The San Bernardino supervisors do not seem disposed to quit on the matter of a refund from the state highway commission for highway work done under the co-operative plan. At the meeting of the board, Jonathan S. Dodge, chairman of the Los Angeles board of supervisors, in a letter expressed the opinion that there is no way to force the state highway commission to make good on an understanding to the effect that the counties which built state roads would be reimbursed. The San Bernardino board, however, directed all the documents in the situation be passed to District Attorney T. W. Duckworth with request for an opinion from him. Riverside county had hopes of getting \$65,000 of refund money and will watch developments in San Bernardino with interest. Orange county has no refund claim.

MUCH COTTON CONSUMED.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Cotton consumed during November totalled 490,698 bales, as compared with a consumption of 455,611 bales in November 1918, the census bureau announced today.

Users of "Pain-Ex" assailed liners say "they sure do the business."

Sure Relief



LIFE SENTENCE AUTO THIEVES ENDORSED

State Auto Trades Association Holds Big Meeting In Bakersfield

(Continued from page one)

Members of the Orange County Auto Trades Association attending the state convention in Bakersfield this week, came home more enthusiastic than ever over the good work of the organization. Orange county was complimented by the appointment of Geo. Dunton of Anaheim, as chairman of the motor car dealers' craft of the state. One hundred delegates were in attendance. The convention voted resolutions recommending that the granting of probation to auto thieves be stopped and that instead more drastic sentences be imposed. It is recommended that imprisonment for such an offense be raised from five years to life.

Placing of automobile controls at the entrances into the state as a means of checking all cars crossing the border, thus making possible the apprehension of stolen cars, was recommended.

Change Convention Meetings
It was voted to hold six state meetings hereafter instead of four general and four each in the north and south parts of the state. Two meetings of two days each week will be held in Northern, Central and Southern California. The next Southern Division meeting will be held in Riverside in January. Fresno will entertain the June convention. Plans are about completed for inaugurating a state-wide publicity campaign for the purpose of educating motor car owners that the association is organized for the purpose of providing protection to motorists, in the betterment of trade conditions and increased efficiency of service among men engaged in the trade. Objectionable advertising on the part of those engaged in the trade was scored, and members urged to adhere strictly to the truth and plain statements of their merchandising efforts.

The Commercial Federation of California, being organized to combat radicalism, was supported by the adoption of the following resolutions:

Whereas, The Commercial Federation of California is organized for the purpose of arousing greater and more active interest in state and national affairs, and to impress upon the individual the necessity of exercising his duty of citizenship at the polls for the enactment and enforcement of sane and safe laws, combating the growing and alarming activities of radical interests who oppose law and order and who seek to destroy organized government, and inasmuch as there never was a time when the gospel of pure Americanism should be preached so emphatically, so sincerely and so effectively as today; therefore,

Be it resolved, That the California Automobile Trade Association, in state convention assembled at Bakersfield, California, on December 8 and 9, 1919, do hereby endorse and lend its full support to the worthy and commendable objects that the said Commercial Federation of California seeks to achieve through its activities; and be it further

VILLA WITH TROOPS AT MUSQUIZ BATTLE

EAGLE PASS, Tex., Dec. 13.—Pancho Villa, himself, headed the rebel troops which sacked Musquiz Tuesday morning and remained about the town until they were driven off yesterday, Mexican Consul G. M. Bequin said today.

MADAME JACQUEMAIRE TO TALK IN PASADENA

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 13.—Pasadena is anxiously awaiting the promised visit of Madame Madeline Jacquemaire the "Tiger-lily of France," daughter of Premier Clemenceau the "Tiger."

FIFTEEN SCHOOLS HAVE SECURED \$476, SEALS

Up to the present fifteen schools of the county have reported to Miss Hazel Bemis, county chairman for the Red Cross Christmas Seals sales. These reports show a total of \$476 received by those fifteen schools, as follows:

Santa Ana High School, \$13.87; Intermediate, \$123.61; Washington, \$58.42; Lincoln, \$37.55; McKinley, \$50.00; Roosevelt, \$41.41; Jefferson, \$36.50; Fifth Street, \$8.25; Logan Street, \$3.00; Santa Fe, \$1.91; Yorba Linda, \$25.00; Laurel, \$15.00; Ocean View, \$14.04; Orange Giassell Street, \$40.00; Peralta, \$5.44.

SAYS HUNS WILL SIGN.
PAKIS, Dec. 13.—The Matin declares today that the Germans have definitely decided to sign the proposed peace treaty although they will endeavor to obtain further concessions up to the minute of signing.

UNION WILL DRILL NEAR CAPISTRANO

whether or not the formations there carry indications of oil deposits.

The Texas Oil Company was the last to send its geologist to the district. It is understood that none of the companies have as yet been able to sign up any leases among owners of small properties, and according to the statement of a property owner in the district this morning, owners are not going to be in any hurry to sign away the mineral rights on their lands.

The development of a vast oil-bearing section in the southeast part of the county is becoming more and more probable, and that there are some favorable indications is manifest by the activities in drilling in the section.

Rather authentic reports are at hand that the H. K. & T. company, drilling near Newport Bay west of Irvine, has struck oil at 1600 feet. It is stated by an authority that oil has been coming up with the drill for the past week. Instructions have been to go on deeper, in the belief that a good basin of oil will be struck at a lower level.

The Putnam company, also sinking a well in that vicinity, is said to have received great encouragement by developments of the past week in its well.

City and County Briefs

During the Christmas rush at the postoffice the money order department has been moved across the lobby adjoining the general delivery window. The stamp windows and a window for insuring and registering parcels are now open. During big rushes a window will also be open to weigh parcels only.

Japanese Christian Union of Orange county will have its service and business meetings at First Congregational church, Santa Ana, at 2 p. m., Sunday, December 14. Pastors and church people who are interested in home and foreign mission work are cordially welcome.

Robert Skiles, chief deputy county assessor, who leased his twenty-acre Valencia orange grove southeast of Placentia recently to the Mt. Diablo Oil company for a substantial bonus, today announced he had sold 7000 one year old nursery stock trees at 75 cents each net.

The Orphan's class of the Torosa Rebekahs will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ada Walters, 804 West Fourth street.

Barkow and Brookins, who are planning to establish a new paper at Colton in the near future, have just purchased the printing press formerly used by the Orange Star and Post and moved it this week to Colton, where it is being installed for the new publication.

WORK PROGRESSING ON TURNING RIVER

HARPER, Cal., December 12.—A Register representative visited Camp Divert on Thursday morning and found a good start being made at the work of turning the Santa Ana river into the ocean. There is a good cook and dining house, a bunk house and a blacksmith shop at the camp. A hundred feet of the north side jetty is driven and piled in. The spur track laid out from the Pacific Electric line on to it. The contractor has been waiting for two months for the piling which arrived last week in a half dozen carloads.

Up to that time only four or five men were employed; now there are fourteen men on the job, with a good prospect that better progress will be made from this time on. Roy Wiley is the head boss or superintendent, and Will Shaffer is the yard superintendent. The working gang is made up of a lot of big, strong men who like their bosses and are full of praise for Chong Woo, the cook who keeps his tables set with clean dishes and supplies lots of grub well cooked. Chong has a poultry pen and a pig pen, where all table waste is turned to good use by fattening his pig and poultry for the block.

The north side jetty will be 850 feet long and the south side will be 550 feet long; the space between them will be 500 feet where the river will be turned in. This work will mark an era in the development of the Orange county coast. It is located equidistant from Huntington Beach and Newport Beach, being two and sixty-eight one-hundredths miles from either place. The work will reclaim a lot of land that is swampy and it will make a splendid half-way picnic and fishing resort between the two cities.

PRINCESS

Santa Ana's Most Popular Playhouse—Where Everybody Goes.

TONIGHT ONLY

TOM MOORE

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"ONE OF THE FINEST"

A refreshingly novel plot. A pleasing comedy drama—also—

"BETWEEN THE ACTS"

A rousing two-act comedy and AN EDUCATIONAL. THIS IS A HAPPY SHOW—COME AND SEE IT.

TOMORROW AND MONDAY

EMMY WEHLEN in "A FAVOR TO A FRIEND"

A 5-act romantic comedy—a wonderful adventure.

WILLIAM DUNCAN in "SMASHING BARRIERS"

HAROLD LLOYD COMEDY and a CARTOON.

BIBLE WORKER IS TO TELL RAVAGE OF BELGIUM

First Bible Worker In That Country Will Relate Experiences at Church

The story of the ravage of Belgium in the early stages of the world war will be told tomorrow evening at Spurgeon Memorial church by Ralph C. Norton. Norton is the bible worker who made a record and became famous because of his activities among the Belgians. He was in Europe engaged in evangelical work when the war broke out and was one of the first Bible workers to go to Belgium. He pioneered the religious work there and it was his activities that led the way for the Y. M. C. A. into that field. He went through the big drives with the members of that country and was cited for bravery and decorated by the King.

He had a wonderful experience and the story he will tell at the 7 o'clock service is one full of gripping incidents of the great struggle overseas.

PERPETUAL PRISONER DEPLORES CLEMENCY

John Wigand, upon whom the police were said to have bestowed the sobriquet of "the Perpetual Sojourner" at the county jail, today had hanging over him a suspended sentence of sixty days in the institution. In other words, alleged plans he had for obtaining free board and lodging there, miscarried when Justice John B. Cox suspended the sentence, instead of ordering him placed in custody. Wigand completed a thirty-day term for vagrancy at the jail Tuesday. Evidently disliking the cold nights, he returned twice and was given permission to sleep at the jail. When he returned for the third time, yesterday, the patience of Deputy Sheriff Theo. Lacy, Jr., became exhausted, and he swore to a complaint charging Wigand with vagrancy. Wigand would have preferred it if Justice Cox had not suspended the sentence, it was said.

PIANO INVOLVED IN JUSTICE COURT SUIT

Involving a piano, said to be worth \$229, an action was on file in justice court today through which Letitia Preston, with J. C. Burke and Charles D. Swanner as her attorneys, will seek the return of the instrument from James E. Burnham and his wife, Marie E. Burnham, who were alleged to have come into unlawful possession of it on November 29. The piano was claimed to be located in a house at 605 South Sycamore street. The plaintiff declared she had demanded the return of the instrument, but that it had been refused her. She asks judgment either of the return of the piano, or of the amount it was declared to be worth.

ANCIENT SHELLS AND RELICS ARE UNCOVERED

San Bernardino Sun.—Back from an exploration trip on Painted Hill, north of the station of Whitewater, Attorney Orlis I. Kenney brought samples of sea-shells from the great bed of a one-time ocean that is older than Mt. San Jacinto. There are millions of tons of sea shells imbedded in the rock formation.

Resting in an inaccessible place on the hill is an old Spanish musket and Indian water vessels that have been there for more than a century. Some ancient cloudburst changed the contour of the country, and opened up to view the great shell deposit.

When Mt. San Jacinto was thrown up the sea receded. The shells are 2500 feet above sea level.

Kenney proposes to organize a party to get the old musket. It will be necessary for somebody to be lowered on a rope and then swing into an old sea-cavern to get the musket. In the dry desert air the musket has been preserved. Kenney has Indian willow arrows picked up in the region which are hundreds of years old, he believes.

30x3 Firestone Tires \$11.60, 6, 000 miles guarantee. Livesey's, 214 E. 4th street.

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Free of Charge. Talcum, Soap, Cream, Lotion, Ointment, etc. Free of Charge. Talcum, Soap, Cream, Lotion, Ointment, etc.

Jail Term for Profiteers Urged by Capper as One Remedy to Stop Robbers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Senator Capper of Kansas, who declared war on "black flag profiteers" in a speech on the senate floor yesterday, today outlined for the United Press the remedies which he believes should be applied to the high price evil. His proposed solution of the problem follows:

"Nothing would do as much to stop profiteering as to jail the robbers who have made fortunes the last year or two by gouging the public on foodstuffs, fuel and other necessities of life."

"Not less than 15,000 brand new millionaires have been created in this country during the war and in the year just drawing to a close. It is no trouble to find profiteers of the rank class in that crowd. I think we have all the laws necessary to convict."

"The history of all the government's anti-trust prosecutions in 25 years does not show a single individual ever served a jail sentence for a violation. The country would like to see that record broken and there was never a better time to get action than right now."

"Until this orgy of high prices is stopped there should be a limitation on profits, not price fixing, but the government should see that the business concern makes public the cost of its goods and that it does not take more than a fair profit, as is being done in Canada."

"It would help some if we could end the gambling in foodstuffs on the big exchanges of New York, Chicago and other cities. The gambler has no place in human society. It will take new legislation to do that."

"I think it would lower the cost of living if we can have a strict regulation and supervision of the packing industry and the packers be divorced from ownership and control of the stockyards."

"Cold storage plants should also be under federal supervision. We should encourage co-operative marketing enterprises and elimination of a few of the great army of brokers, commission men, dealers, agents, salesmen, wholesalers and other profit making middlemen who take toll between the producer and the consumer."

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3 AMERICAN LEAGUE INSURGENTS UNTAMED

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—At least one of the three American league insurgents was untamed today.

C. A. Comiskey, owner of the White Sox, today reiterated his statements that President Ben Johnson must be ousted.

There was an indication the insurgents might act to tie up the funds of the league and thereby prevent payment of salaries to Johnson, his umpires, or office staff.

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Critics pronounce this as being Rex Beach's greatest story, and everyone knows what "The Spoilers," "The Brand," "The Barrier" and "Auction Block," were.

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S. T. BULLOCK WILL PRESENT FOR YOUR APPROVAL AN ORIGINAL NOVELTY

FIRST TIME EVER SEEN ON ANY SCREEN HIS ELECTRICAL WONDER SCENE

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"Just Before Christmas" There Are Some Things Money Cannot Buy

"Just before Christmas" money cannot buy the LEISURE that is yours today—for those who buy and those who sell, whether they will or not, are "caught up" in the final crush of Christmas.

Just before Christmas money cannot buy SELECTION—it cannot make broken assortments whole—it cannot replace gift things that are completely sold out—it cannot buy the things you want if the things you want are not to be had.

Just before Christmas money cannot buy SERVICE—that same class of service that is freely available to all early shoppers—painsstaking, careful, helpful, efficient—for the Christmas strain will tell.

Just before Christmas money cannot buy MEMORY—it cannot furnish us with the names of friends or relatives or others whom we should have thought of and provided for earlier in the season.

You're going to buy Christmas Gifts of course—more than you ever bought before—then why put it off until "just before Christmas?" Everything to gain and nothing to lose by Christmas shopping now.

THE REGISTER'S HAPPIER CHRISTMAS CLUB

EXTENSION CLASSES GET MAIL TRAINING

Aladdin's genie had a clever way with him of transporting marble palaces wherever the young China boy wanted them to go, but modern house movers lack his fine skill and quickness. However, there is a modern counterpart to be found for the deuterian genie, and he wears a grey uniform and has a leather bag over his shoulder. And he is known as the postman. And the buildings he will transport to any house that calls are the firm granite structures of the University of California.

Not that he will take the material form of the buildings, but he will take their essence, the spirit of culture they contain and the substance of knowledge they radiate through the medium of the correspondence section of University Extension.

University Extension is an extension of the spirit and helpfulness of a university to whoever wishes to share in them but cannot become a resident student. In certain cities, San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles, and others, personal instruction is given to students by professors from the university faculty. But those who may take part in the training which the university gives in 157 courses of study need not reside in the cities where extension classes are held. Wherever there is a post-office there is a branch of the University of California and for a nominal fee any person in the United States can enjoy many of the advantages of college training and acquire the same knowledge which is taught in the glistening granite buildings on the campus at Berkeley.

Aladdin's genie, then, is surpassed by the postman. All the genie could do was to bring the material palace to Aladdin of the Wonderful Lamp. The postman brings the spirit within the buildings to any one who takes a correspondence course with the Extension Division of the University of California.

ESTIMATE BEET CROP IN ARTESIA SECTION

Artesia News.—It is now possible to make a reasonable accurate statement of the beet crop for this season in the Artesia section. It is apparent that we are a little behind other localities in the amount of production. The following figures are substantially accurate and show the comparison between this season and last:

	1919	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
Cars	29	55	110		
Tons	1218	3570	4290		
	1918				
Cars	49	157	173		
Tons	2058	6594	7200		
Total cars for 1919				284	
Total cars for 1918				227	
Total tons for 1919				8,388	
Total tons for 1918				16,254	

Some of the Artesia growers have had an unusually good harvest. E. D. Garner has made an early clean-up, and had a very good crop. D. H. Goodwin also is well satisfied with the returns from his harvest on the Buena ranch; the crop was large and profitable. On the other hand there were growers who did not harvest the crop at all, so small was it. For all of Southern California the returns will show about half of the normal crop.

BOLSHEVIK NOTES GO BACK WITHOUT REPLY

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 13.—The American, British, French and Italian ministers here were reported to have returned the peace notes of Boris Litvinoff, bolshevik envoy, without reply.

The ministers announced that Litvinoff had broken the conditions of the conference, which was called exclusively to deal with the exchange of prisoners.

See the pretty dolls in Mateer, Gemmel, Drug Co., window—ten of them will be given away absolutely free—ask about them.

Wanted—A husky young man for steady job; also a boy. Mission Woolen Mfg. Co.

32x3 1/2 Smooth Firestone, \$17.50, 6000 miles guarantee. Livesey's, 214 E. 4th street.

LACK OF SHIPS DECREASE SEEN IS HALTING IMPORTS IN REPORT ON MINING SIN TO BRING WORLD LIGHT

Much Argentine Meat Could Be Placed on Market If Vessels Furnished

By LAWRENCE S. HAAS,
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 13.—If the American meat consumer, worrying over his mounting butcher bills, read of the enormous gains in the South American cattle industry and then demands why South American meat is not sent to North America to lower the price at home, he need take his quest no farther than those who control American ship construction.

This is the opinion of leading American meat men in Buenos Aires. While none will venture the assertion that Argentine meat placed on the American market would lower American meat prices, they do declare that there are thousands of tons of South American meat that would be available for North American consumption if only refrigerator ships were to be used.

In connection with this great "if," the head of the South American branch of one of the greatest packing houses in the United States frankly told the United Press that he knows of no refrigerator ship plying between the United States and South American ports. And, he added, Great Britain, as a matter of fact, is constructing refrigerator vessels as rapidly as she is able to do so.

Given an adequate number of refrigerator ships, South American meat producers declare they can deliver meat at any point in the world, the United States not excepted, at a price that would have no fear of local competition. However, questioned as to the feasibility of competing with American meat production in the United States, no claims were made that Argentine meat could be "laid down" at American ports cheaper than American meat could be delivered, but it was stated that Argentine, Uruguayan and Brazilian meat could be delivered just as cheaply as the home product.

The long haul from South to North America, the greatest single cost factor in the exportation of meat from the southern to the northern continent is somewhat offset by the lower cost of labor and production in South America. In the three great cattle countries—Argentina, Uruguay and Brazil—the cattle are outdoors twelve months in the year, and for ten months feed on green grass. Head for head, the United States produces no better grade of beef.

South American packers, as everyone else who has something to sell, are looking for the best market. But they cannot get their products to any market, no matter how good, unless there is some way of carrying them.

Of course, it is obvious the production of hides moves at a pace no greater than that of meat production. If the United States were Argentine meat sufficiently to provide means for transporting it they can get it, but South American meat producers will not commit themselves to the expression of an opinion that the price of meat or leather in the United States will drop if large quantities of Argentine beef and hides are placed on the American market.

SOME CHILDREN MUST BE DRIVEN TO PLAY

It is most interesting to watch how children of different temperaments and with different home training find themselves in the social life of the kindergarten.

These is the professional type of child who has an academic type of mind. He takes to books as a duck to water. He prefers the company of grown-up people and he is indifferent to games. He does not want to join the group, he wants to be let alone.

But this is the type of child whose parents if they are the right kind will have to drive him out of the house to play after school hours, when he is in the grades. His physical and his social needs must be developed, his mental hunger will take care of the development of his mind.

Too often the vanity of parents makes them take pride in the rapidity with which this academic type of child advances through the grades. They compare him with the neighbor's child, a jolly, normal little individual whom the other boys on the playground recognize as twice as much of a boy as the little professor.—United States Bureau of Education.

Production In Alaska Has Fallen Off Greatly In Last Two Years

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The

Alaskan mining industry in 1918 has just been set forth in detail in a report by the U. S. Geological Survey, department of the interior. Regular mining may be said to have begun in Alaska in 1880, when the Juneau gold placers were first exploited. It is estimated that since that time mineral wealth has been produced to the value of more than \$418,000,000.

The mineral production of the territory in 1918 was valued at only \$28,253,961. This output was almost \$12,500,000 less than that for 1917 and was the smallest since 1914. The decrease was chiefly in copper, the production of which fell from 88,783,400 pounds, valued at 24,240,598, in 1917 to 69,224,951 pounds, valued at \$17,098,563 in 1918. The reduction in the output of copper was due to shortage of labor and ships. The production of gold decreased from 709,050 ounces, valued at \$14,657,357, in 1917 to 488,841 ounces, valued at \$9,450,953, in 1918, and was the smallest since 1904. The reduction in the output of gold was due chiefly to curtailment of operations because of the scarcity of labor and the high cost of materials. There was a reduction in the output of silver and lead due to the decrease in gold and copper. The production of tungsten and antimony showed a considerable decrease, the production of antimony practically ceasing because of the inability of producers in the interior of Alaska to compete with the cheaper foreign product. The production of coal increased from 53,955 tons, valued at \$265,317, in 1917 to 75,606 tons, valued at \$411,850, in 1918, and was the largest in the history of mining in Alaska. Petroleum continued to be produced from the single patented claim near Katala, and the local refinery was operated on about the customary scale. The production of marble and gypsum in southeastern Alaska was somewhat less than in 1916. Chromite was mined in about the same amount as in 1917. The production of platinum, which was begun in 1918, continued on an increased scale, chiefly from the placers in Seward Peninsula. A considerable amount of palladium was recovered from copper ore from southeastern Alaska.

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PERSONALS

W. E. Newman of Jefferson, Montgomery county, Kansas, is visiting his father, P. E. Newman, at 412 East Second street, and his sister, Mrs. C. C. Coudra, at 221 Flower street. His coming was very warm and discouraged disciples of the lowly Nazarine have been quickened and scores of sinners have been led into a definite experience of saving grace.

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Mrs. Edith Bohannon will leave for San Diego tomorrow to spend the holiday vacation with her daughter, Mrs. R. G. Shipley.

Mrs. Octavia Smith leaves today on an extended business trip to Portland, Ore.

Miss Mary Addie Jones is spending the week-end with friends at San Fernando.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lilley of Glendale, were here yesterday to celebrate the birthday of the former's mother, surprising their parents. Mr. Lilley's sister, Mrs. Harrison and her son, Raymond, returned to Glendale and all will remain here for Christmas.

Mrs. E. F. Foster has returned from a visit in Los Angeles with relatives.

Mrs. Lulu Betchell, 114 West Santa Clara avenue, employee at the Wollen Mill, fell from her bicycle while on her way home to lunch today and sustained a lacerated scalp. The injury was not serious and Mrs. Betchell was able to go to her home after receiving treatment at the Santa Ana hospital.

Mrs. Cora Cavins and daughter, Mrs. John Jacobs, Jr., spent the day in Los Angeles yesterday.

Mrs. M. R. Scott was a Los Angeles visitor yesterday.

Mr. L. V. Case is the son of Mrs. Lenora E. Case, of No. 416 Mortimer street.

BURTON—In Santa Ana, Calif., December 13th, 1919, Mrs. Jessie Burton, aged 65 years, wife of Jesse Burton of this city.

Services will be held at Mills & Winbigler's Mission Funeral Home, Tuesday, December 16th, at 10 a. m. Interment in Santa Ana cemetery.

HEWITT—In Garden Grove, Decem- 12, 1919, at his residence, William J. Hewitt, aged 58 years.

Funeral services will be held Monday, December 15, at 10 a. m., from Smith & Tuttle's chapel. Cremation in Los Angeles.

The deceased is survived by a widow, Mary Hewitt, and five children. None of the children live here.

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Alleged Impotency of the Church Due to Idols and Compromise Says Hill

With "The Power of the Holy Spirit" as his subject, Evangelist

Dave Hill last night declared that the impotent condition of the Christian church of today is due to idols harbored in the hearts of believers and the compromise made with the world. A clean-cut separation from sin would bring the old-time power back again and make the church the lever to lift the world out of darkness and wretchedness into peace, joy and brotherly love, in his opinion.

Tomorrow there will be three services. In the afternoon at 2:30 there will be a meeting for men only, at which the evangelist will give the wonderful story of his life.

"The meeting at Zion's Evangelical church the past two weeks have been attended by large crowds, with interest deepening and results multiplying," said a member today. "Many members of the different churches of the city have been made to see a more excellent way to live the Christian life, and Luke warm and discouraged disciples of the lowly Nazarine have been quickened and scores of sinners have been led into a definite experience of saving grace."

The meetings will continue one week longer and the ardent Christians participating in the services are confidently anticipating large and growing results.

DEATHS

McLELLAN—In Santa Ana, Calif., December 12, 1919, at his residence, No. 1501 Durant street, J. V. McLellan, aged 82 years.

Mr. McLellan had lived in Santa Ana for over thirty years. He leaves a daughter, Miss Minnie McLellan, of this city, and a son, J. F. McLellan, of Los Angeles.

Services will be held at the Mills & Winbigler Mission Funeral Home Monday, December 15th, at 2:30, interment being in Santa Ana cemetery by the side of his wife, who passed away several years ago.

CASE—At Baker, Oregon, December 11th, Mrs. Ruth Case, aged 34 years, wife of L. V. Case.

The remains will arrive Monday in charge of Mills & Winbigler. Interment will be in Santa Ana cemetery.

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CIRCUS OWNER FAILS TO OBTAIN DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 13.—For the fourth time Al C. Barnes Stonehouse, known in the circus business as Al Barnes, and his wife, Dollie Stonehouse, have failed to shake off the matrimonial yoke.

Superior Judge Taft, after two days of testimony, made of record today a ruling denying Stonehouse a divorce asked on grounds of desertion and refusing Mrs. Stonehouse separate maintenance.

Two co-respondents, named by Mrs. Stonehouse in a cross-complaint, testified at the trial. They were Vivian Bordeaux of Portland, who testified that she had traveled with Stonehouse in his private car and Jane Hartigan of Los Angeles, who denied Stonehouse was the father of her child.

Low Egg Production

—through the Fall and Winter season is natural. Many people forget this fact and, as a result, become discouraged over their chicken investment. The cool-headed poultryman figures results by the year—not simply on a two or three months' period—and as a consequence makes money. He always feeds to the very best of his knowledge regardless of light or heavy egg production.

Moral: Don't get discouraged and go to feeding poor feed during a lull in production—and don't sell your hens. Buy good feed—it always pays. Buy "BIG N" MASH and "BIG N" SCRATCH FEED.

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—The Prices! Well, here's where quality is just a little bit better than you will expect for the reasonable prices we are asking. Many special items are on sale. All are out on display with prices in plain figures, clerks are ready to wait on you quickly, your shopping here will be quickly and easily made.

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—What an impressive sight it is to step into Leipsics store, every aisle is filled with Christmas booths, every nook and corner of the store offers suggestions for the Christmas shopper.

—Handkerchiefs! Well, folks, we don't know where to start, there are so many of them, just overwhelming is this display of Handkerchiefs.

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The management of this good store wants to extend a cordial invitation to the women of this county to make use of the store's excellent service in the selection of gifts for men and boys.

Women who come here will have the special attention of a competent assistant in selecting exactly the right thing. We offer nothing but goods of national reputation for quality.

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See the pretty dolls in Mateer, Gemmel, Drug Co., window—ten of them will be given away absolutely free—ask about them.

Wanted—A husky young man for steady job; also a boy. Mission Woolen Mfg. Co.

32x3 1/2 Smooth Firestone, \$17.50, 6000 miles guarantee. Livesey's, 214 E. 4th street.

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GAS SITUATION

If the Southern Counties Gas Co. has its way about it there will soon be no natural gas available for use in any Orange County industry. The State Railroad Commission has given temporary authority for diverting gas from industrial to domestic and commercial uses.

The expectation of the gas company is to take every bit of natural gas away from industries of this county and sell it at domestic rates in Long Beach and elsewhere outside of Orange County.

It does not look like a fair deal to Orange County. The gas is produced in this county. Franchises for laying pipelines along county roads throughout the county have practically been given free of charge to the gas company by Orange County. This county has stood by the gas company in the development of its system. The gas company solicited the installation of the gas-burning apparatus in some of our industrial institutions. The concerns that have been burning natural gas must now install or renovate oil-burning equipment.

So much gas has been taken away from Orange County that Santa Ana schools are unable to get gas pressure enough to keep the school buildings warmed.

An injustice is being done to Orange County right now. Whether or not there is any legal remedy we do not know. If there is, a fight should be made before the State Railroad Commission to prevent the blow that will be struck our industries, if the plans of the gas company are carried out. The matter ought to be looked into at once by county organized bodies.

IBANEZ ON LEAGUE

Senor Vicente Blasco Ibanez, the famous Spanish author, giving some of his shrewd impressions of America in a recent address, said:

"The League of Nations is entirely an American product, in inspiration, ideal and purpose. Do you know why the United States hasn't adopted it?" Then he answered his own question, thus:

"Because other nations were won to its side. If European peoples had opposed the League of Nations, your legislators would have regarded it as an affront and would have demanded its adoption."

This is not very complimentary to Americans, but isn't there a good deal of truth in it? Certainly the League had stronger American support while Europe seemed indifferent to it than it has had since Europe turned in its favor.

AS TO THE LEAGUE AND MEXICO

The San Francisco Argonaut and the New York Sun both ask the question, "What should we do about Mexico now, if we had joined the League of Nations?"

To which the Fresno Republican makes pertinent reply:

"Well, we should do about as we are doing now, only probably a little more vigorously and with a more positive backing. In the first place, Mexico is not in the League of Nations and has no rights. It is not even invited to join and no plans are made for its joining as there are for Germany. It ranks even below Turkey in this respect, the one acknowledged outlaw in the new order of the world. So if we chose to go in and straighten out Mexico ourselves, the League of Nations would not interfere, but would probably ask the privilege of giving us an express mandate to do so.

Or, still better, if it should seem that there is still a government in Mexico that can be dealt with, the League of Nations might have saved us the trouble of going to war. Immediate disputes like the Jenkins case would be met as now, but the greater issue of the attempt of the Carranza government to confiscate foreign-owned properties or to deny to their owners and employees the protection of just laws would come before the Council of the League, and the decision would of course be unanimous and immediate against Mexico. Then it would be for Mexico to comply or submit to the United States, under mandate of the League, seizing its ports and railroads and policing its mines and factories. That would be better than war, and would be more effective."

A BAD CONDITION

"More than 100,000 teaching positions in the public schools of the United States are either vacant or filled by teachers below standard, and the attendance at normal schools and teacher-training schools has decreased 20 per cent in the last three years." This quotation is from an official bulletin of the National Education Association.

Its estimate, based on careful investigation, is that out of about 650,000 teaching positions in the public schools of the country, there are 39,000 vacancies and 65,000 teachers below standard.

That one-tenth of all the public school teachers of the United States are below standard is a pretty serious matter. In one way it seems even more serious than the 39,000 school rooms with no teachers at all. If a child, particularly in a rural district, has no school to go to, at least that child can be learning useful things about agriculture and industry by his association with the indoor and outdoor work of the farm. Later he may go to a good school and make up his lost schooling. But if that child is in a school which pretends to be a school and is not, he is not only wasting his time, but worse than wasting it, for he is acquiring bad habits of study and probably learning many things which later must be unlearned.

The recommendations of the presidents of the teacher-training schools, made during the N. E. A.'s investigation, are as follows:

1. Higher salaries for trained teachers.
2. Higher professional standards, excluding the incompetent and unprepared.
3. More general recognition by the public of the importance of the teaching profession.
4. More liberal appropriations to state normal schools and teacher-training schools in order to pay better salaries in these institutions and furnish better equipment.
5. Extending the courses and raising the standards in the teacher-training schools.

Age An Asset

The Silent Partner

Age is an asset when accompanied by wisdom. Years are but youth when conserved by good health.

Men past middle age have often given up too quickly, and on several occasions have been dismissed from an organization too early.

The plan of dismissing experience is a flagrant waste of human energy and a foolish expenditure of valuable time.

Men past fifty, who have taken care of themselves, have proved during the past years, to have the ability again to serve faithfully and well.

The war has added ten years to the appreciation of older men.

The so-called "old men" were not raw recruits—they just came back, that's all.

To fire the faithful is to discredit loyalty and to dishearten the individual that is approaching the "firing line."

When industry injects more humanity into its plans and purposes, there will be less occasion for arbitration, and business will become a company of co-operators. And you know co-operation puts a tin can on the tail of competition.

The question of age depends upon whether you mean activity of mind or of body—ability of mental or of physical force.

No sensible thinker would recommend an old man for a foreman, but I am satisfied that many of the older men would make a rabbit run some.

Let me give you an illustration of what age has done among the mental workers:

Marion Harlan (Mrs. Mary Virginia Terhune) is eighty-eight and is still actively engaged in writing.

Dr. Lyman Abbott is eighty-three and is active in his editorial work.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard, is eighty-four.

Hon. Joseph G. Cannon is eighty-three and ever so active mentally.

Chauncey M. Depew is eighty-four, John D. Rockefeller is eighty-one, Cardinal Gibbons, eighty-five and John Burroughs, the distinguished naturalist, eighty-two.

Strike Is Ended

Long Beach Press

The strike of soft coal miners is ended, with emphasis on "ended." It is not a temporary, temporizing settlement that has been made. It is a complete ending of the strike and the liveliest hope that a permanent, astrously as during this distressful period may be reached between miners and operators so that the people may feel assured that never again shall their supply of fuel be curtailed disastrously as during this distressful period.

With the resumption of work in the soft coal mines, the people not only are relieved but are cheerfully optimistic. The typical American, game to the core, is naturally of buoyant spirits. He readily sees and quickly takes his fighting chance to make the best of a situation. The shortage in fuel will continue for some time. But its acuteness will be relieved quickly. And by prudent distribution of coal supplies, the temporary scarcity can be tided over well.

California rejoices at the ending of the strike for a twofold reason. It is naturally pleased to know that the eastern half of the country is relieved of the distress and material loss the coal strike was entailing. And it is gratified to realize that the influx of tourists into this state is not to be impeded seriously. By the first of the year train accommodations should be all that the tourist would wish—at least, it should be ample and comfortable, if not luxurious. The number of tourists coming to California doubtless will exceed any previous season.

Officer, Do Your Duty



Principles and Policies That Are Needed Now

BY GILSON GARDNER.

Peace between employer and workmen was maintained during the war by the War Labor Board. The board worked out the settlement of disputes by enforcing certain "principles and policies" announced by President Wilson as "governing relations between workers and employers in war industries during the period of the war."

Anything which succeeded in producing harmony in the industrial world—and nobody will deny that the War Labor Board was a great success—is worthy of special notice at this time.

The "principles and policies" proclaimed by the president include the following:

1. The right of workers to organize in trade unions and to bargain collectively through chosen representatives is recognized and affirmed. This right shall not be denied, abridged, or interfered with by the employers in any manner whatsoever.
2. The right of employers to organize in associations of groups and to bargain collectively through chosen representatives is recognized and affirmed. This right shall not be denied, abridged, or interfered with by the workers in any manner whatsoever.
3. Employers should not discharge workers for membership in trade unions, nor for legitimate trade union activities.
4. The workers, in the exercise of their rights to organize, shall not use coercive measures of any kind to induce persons to join their organizations nor to induce employers to bargain or deal therewith.

5. If it shall become necessary to employ women on work ordinarily performed by men, they must be a flow equal pay for equal work and must not be allowed allotted tasks disproportionate to their strength.
6. The maximum production of all cases in which existing law requires it. In all other cases the question of hours of labor shall be settled with due regard to governmental necessities and the welfare, health and proper comfort of the workers.

7. The maximum production of all (war) industries should be maintained and methods of work and operation on the part of employers or workers which operate to delay or limit production, or which have a tendency to artificially increase the cost thereof, should be discouraged.
8. In fixing wages, hours and conditions of labor, regard should always be had to the labor standards, wage scales and other conditions prevailing in localities affected.

9. The right of all workers, including common laborers, to a living wage is hereby declared.
10. In fixing wages, minimum rates of pay shall be established which will insure the subsistence of the worker and his family in health and reasonable comfort.

Congress should do well to enact the above principles into law. A few basic laws, clarifying the relations and marking the rights of labor and employer would go a long way toward bringing peace into the industrial world.

Worth While Verses

A NATION'S BUILDER

Not gold, but only men can make
A people great and strong—
Men who, for truth and honor's sake
Stand fast and suffer long.

Brave men, who work while others sleep,
Who dare while others fly—
They build a nation's pillars deep
And lift them to the sky.

—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

GRINS AND GROANS

Dangers of Education.

Father—"Run along, my boy, and help Cyril play with his toys."

Highbrow—"No, father; by treating this further piling up of armaments in a spirit of levity following the cessation of an international cataclysm, one unconsciously places

one's self in opposition to the ideals for which mankind strives, added to which it cannot but have a perniciously derogatory effect on juvenile mentality."—London Opinion.

On His Way, Perhaps.

She was a professor's wife, and she was awfully proud of her hubby.

One day when the plebeian Smith-Jones came along to tea, she told them all about him. "He's a wonder,"

is my husband," she said. "Just at this minute he is in the laboratory conducting some experiments. The professor expects to go down to posterity."

B-r-r-r! Crash! Rattle! Another B-r-r-r from the direction of the laboratory.

"I hope he hasn't gone," said one of the plebeians, anxiously.—London Bightly.

A Better Way.

The sergeant major was a bit of a martinet—it does happen sometimes—and was constantly finding fault with the slightest things.

One day, as he sat in his room in the barracks, he saw a private pass in full uniform with a bucket.

This roused the sergeant major to a fury, and he promptly dashed to the door and hailed the private.

"Where are you going?"

"To fetch some water, sir," replied the man.

"What?" yelled the sergeant major. "In those trousers?"

"No, sir, in the bucket."—London Answers.

High Cost of Education.

Employer—"For this job you've got to know French and Spanish and the pa yis \$18 a week."

"Lord, mister! I ain't got no education; I'm after a job in the yards."

"See the yard boss. We'll start you in at \$40."

OBSERVATIONS

Hint to Uncle Sam: While the industrial pot is boiling is the proper time to skim it.

In God we trust. You can tell it by the little effort we make to solve our own problems.

Experience has taught Japan that a little judicious bribery will soften the blow in Shantung. The yen is mightier than the sword.

A government guarantee produced a great wheat crop, but the law of supply and demand seems to have taken care of the sucker crop.

Two radicals have been indicted in New York for "criminal anarchy." Just what is the nice lawful brand of anarchy?

The man who thinks that defeat of a 2.75 per cent beer proposal is a dry victory has never tried that kind of beer.

Surely the day of war is ended when British, French and Jugo-Slav statesmen lie awake trying to think of a way to settle the Adriatic question in a way that will get by an Italian poet.

There is a growing suspicion that if more Europeans would get down to hard work they wouldn't require so much help from America.

Users of "Register" classified liners say "they sure do the business."

LOOK

The new 1920 Cleveland Motorcycle is here. Call and look it over.

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ATTEMPT MADE TO BREAK INTO HOUSE

Thursday night, or the night before a burglar attempted to break into the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ziellian at 916 North Sycamore street. Marks of a jimmy were found this morning on three windows on the north side of the house, and the hook of one screen was pulled out. Either the jimmy that the man had was not strong enough to break the latch of the window or the man was scared away.

Thursday evening as Mr. and Mrs. Ziellian sat in the front of the house they heard a noise at the back, but at the time thought nothing of it.

COURT MAY DECIDE ON ALL KINDS OF BEER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The supreme court may decide whether the War-time Prohibition Act makes illegal the manufacture of all beer, or only that of more than 2.75 per cent. alcoholic content at the same time it hands down an opinion on the constitutionality of the war-time act, and the Volstead law for the measure's enforcement.

While there was no official announcement to the effect, it was the opinion of the court officials at the conclusion of arguments late yesterday on the question of the manufacture of beer, that decisions in both instances would be given at the same time.

The court's next decision day is Monday.

CALIFORNIA ARRANGES BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

BERKELEY, Cal., Dec. 13.—A tentative schedule for the 1920 basketball season of the University of California team was announced today by Graduate Manager L. A. Nicholls. Fifteen contests, four of them to be played in the northwest, are on the Bear schedule:

January 20, University Farm at Berkeley; January 24, College of Pacific, at Berkeley; January 26, Santa Clara at Berkeley; January 31, St. Marys at Oakland; February 23, Washington State College at Berkeley; February 7, Stanford at Berkeley; February 14, Stanford at Palo Alto; February 18-19, Oregon at Berkeley; February 24-25, Washington State at Pullman; February 27-28, University of Washington at Seattle; March 3, Stanford at Berkeley.

Fifty candidates for the Blue and Gold five are working out under Coach Billy Hollander.

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THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

Oh, many's the life that is richer through me
Though our orbits may never have crossed—
I refer to the dozens and dozens of folks
Who have found the umbrellas I've lost.
R.Y. CANN



CAUSTIC COMMENT

One way to boost production in this country would be to put the labor leaders to work. — Columbia Record.

From this distance it appears that Governor Calvin Coolidge is entirely too good for the Republican party. — Charleston News and Courier.

The world is going crazy over diamonds. It would be better for most of us to be giving more attention to spades. — Philadelphia Record.

Columbus would never have discovered America if the strikers aboard his ships had been better organized. — The National Tribune, (Washington, D. C.)

Apparently a good many people who look with horror upon government by injunction do not see anything wrong with government by intimidation. — Columbus Dispatch.

TREAT ONE INEBRIATE SINCE COUNTRY 'DRY'

SAN JOSE, Dec. 13.—Since war-time prohibition became effective but one patient has been received at the Napa State hospital for treatment for alcoholism, whereas an average of one a day was received before, according to a report made here today by Dr. Leonard Stocking, superintendent of the institution, to its board of directors.

CHIEF CHASES FORCE

WINNETKA, Ill., Dec. 13.—The chief of police chased his force. Policeman Albert Ottone, out of the station. Ottone had been hunting and was attacked by a black cat with a white stripe.

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Social Events

Shiloh Circle Elects.

The meeting held Thursday by members of Shiloh Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., was the most successful of the year. Not only was it the occasion for the election of officers but they were honored by the presence of the department president, Mrs. Jessie Dake, of Los Angeles, a woman of charming personality and an excellent speaker.

Mrs. Dake told of her trip to Columbus, Ohio, to the national convention of the order, and of her visits to the thirty-three circles in this department. She gave a splendid word picture of the patriotic grove in the State House grounds at Sacramento. This grove was the inspiration of a soldier's wife and through her efforts a plot of ground was given to the organization where has been planted a tree from each battleground of the Civil War.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. are the only group of patriotic women in the United States who own such a grove, as they are the only body of patriotic women who own and manage, without state or outside aid, homes for veterans and their wives. These are achievements of which the members are justly proud.

Mrs. Dake was invited to install the officers of the Santa Ana circle in January at which time she will be accompanied by her official staff. The officers elected were those who have served faithfully during the year, just ending, with the exception of the treasurer Miss Kate Wendelkin, who having served in that capacity seven years, refused to continue in that office, and the circle was fortunate in securing another efficient person for that office. Those elected are: Maude Wallace, president; Adelaide Palmer, senior vice president; Celia Hart, junior vice president; Adelle Gard-chaplain; Louise Butts, conductor; Mattie Combs, guard. Delegates to Santa Barbara in May: Lulu Black-eter, Adelle Gardner, Elizabeth Standing, Agnes Dinehart.

Happy Little Mexicans

Many little hearts were bursting with happiness yesterday afternoon, when the Christmas exercises were held at the Logan Mexican school of the city. Needless to say that the hearts of the grown-ups among the Americans, who made the affair possible, were just as happy as those of the children, less fortunate in their environment than the majority of the small folk of this city, for what gives more enjoyment than being able to do something to make joyous those who lack brightness in their lives. Nothing is truer than "it is more blessed to give than to receive."

The cosy bungalow school was a well as to about seventy-five adults present. A lovely tree with its trimmings and an abundance of candy, donated by the Catholic ladies, was the center of attraction, the room being darkened so that the electric lights, furnished by F. T. Lobnow, would be more effective. The room was beautifully decorated with flowers and articles made by the Mexican children.

As the little ones, numbering nearly one hundred, were admitted to the room, they were speechless with admiration, the majority never having seen such a wonderful sight. As the sweet little voices, tremulous with suppressed excitement, rang out with "Hark, I Think I Hear Him Coming," Santa Claus, in the genial person of Sam Stein, entered and distributed the candy and gifts, which consisted of beautifully dressed dolls for the small girls, work crochets in dainty colors and containing larger ones and baseballs and rubber balls to the boys. These were provided through the thoughtfulness of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the dolls being dressed by the high school girls. The Lincoln children sent many lovely toys of various kinds, thus having a part in this glorious Christmas treat. Santa was assisted by the teachers, who were well repaid for their hard work by the joy of their little charges.

The delightful little program, given by the children, opened with "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," by Mrs. Olive Manwaring's second and third grades; address by Prof. J. A. Cranton; song by the school, "Shine Out, O Blessed Star," recitation, "O Christmas Tree," by Antonia Parga, Victor Mercado, Benino Ortiz, Frank de La Rosa.

As Santa Claus entered, Mrs. Edith Bohannon's pupils sang, "Tell Me What You Have For Me," and "Three Cheers for Santa." "Tinkle, Tinkle, Bells," was given by Mrs. Ed. Benedict's pupils. Mrs. W. E. Otis, regent of the D. A. R., made a nice little talk, which was replied to by the principal, Mrs. Bohannon and Rev. J. C. Nava made an address on "Christmas Spirit."

Mrs. Bohannon called on several visitors for brief remarks. The school sang "Merry Christmas" and "The Toy Shop" was cleverly acted by Manuel Chaires, toyman; Arthur Barrego, tin soldier; Manuel Moreno, Jack-in-the-box; Elizabeth Niebas, doll; Juana Andrade, toy and Mariano Bielman, jumping jack. Virginia Garcia sang "Good-night" and the children marched out happily to the exit march played by Mrs. Benedict.

The Santas, poinsettias and trees, which decorated the room, were made by the children and used as conventional borders. Fresh poinsettias and red shades for the lights added to the cheerful glow and large bells were suspended from each light and in the archway.

Drama Section Meets
An interesting meeting of the Drama Section of the Ebell Society was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hugh Smith, 1600 Depot street. Miss Beulah May acted as chairman for the afternoon. Officers were elected as follows: Miss Beulah May, leader; Mrs. J. M. Cloyes, vice-leader; Mrs. Fred L. Cole, secretary. The program committee for the coming year will be Mrs. Lucy Evans, Mrs. F. B. Hawkins and Mrs. J. M. Cloyes.

The study for the coming year

I HAVE MADE SONGS

Though I have made you many a golden song,
Hymning your loveliness in artful rhyme,
No one of these but does your beauty wrong,
And stands a libel for all listening time.
Dusks, I have said, are clouding through your hair,
And earth's old twilight lingers where you are,
Dreams, I have said, have made your eyes a liar,
For largess brought from some old ruined star.

Yet, all of this is but a faltering art,
Of futile words that strain beyond their reach;
And still about your image in my heart
Trembles the cloistered silence closed to speech—
A templed shrine, a dim and holy place,
Where no least word profanes your lifted face.
—(David Morton in the Canadian Magazine.)

will be modern drama, both American and European.

Mrs. Fred L. Cole gave an interesting reading on "Chanticleer," by Edmund Rostand, a French writer. A discussion followed and the meeting came to a close with the serving of light refreshments. Two were admitted to membership at the meeting.

Club Has Christmas Meet

The predominating feature of the Christmas meeting of the "Club Espanol" of the Polytechnic high school yesterday evening was the breaking of the two gay pinatas filled with "dulces" (candies), according to an old and greatly enjoyed custom in Mexico and Spain. The club last night adopted a new constitution, which brings about a number of changes, including the admission of honorary members, several of whom (grown-ups) were present last night at the delightful meeting, which was presided over most ably by the efficient president, Alfonso Mendoza, his sister, Miss Amelia Mendoza, as secretary, being of great help in the affairs of the club. Harold Kyle is the treasurer.

After the business session a fine little program was given, opening with the singing of "Noche de Paz" or "Holy Night" by the entire club. Miss Glennajean Hill played the violin and Miss Elizabeth Wright presided at the piano.

A group of costumed young people from Intermediate school prettily sang a group of three songs, concluding with "La Paloma" (The Dove).

A bevy of pretty maids from Junior College, in Spanish costume, danced with castanets. Miss Marguerite Varne, being the pianist. The girls were Misses Della Franzen and Marie Grecht, leaders; Helen Hoenshell, Alpha Knox, Dorothy Kennedy, Zena Leck, Margaret May and Myrtle Klahn.

Miss Glennajean Hill, a clever little artist with her bow, played a violin solo and Miss Amelia Mendoza gave a distinctively Mexican dance in costume. Mrs. H. M. Sammis, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Dorothy Sammis, beautifully sang two Spanish songs.

Rev. V. Mendoza told of some of the Mexican Christmas customs, saying that instead of one Christmas Eve, as in this country, the Mexicans have nine, commencing with December 18, the day the Blessed Virgin and St. Joseph started on their long journey to Bethlehem from Nazareth.

One of the features is the arrangement of the scene in the stable where Christ was born, and about which the guests at the "posada" march, bearing lighted candles. Christmas is a great family feast and nearly every household has its group of merry friends every night during the nine, which is marked with feasting and gifts, including the pinatas. H. N. Allen, who has lived in Mexico and talks Spanish like a native, told of the fun of the pinata.

Miss Amelia Mendoza sweetly sang "La Golondrina" (The Swallow) and Miss Elizabeth Wright, her accompanist, explained that Napoleon wrote the plaintively lovely song while in prison.

Spanish games and the breaking of the pinatas, one for the boys and one for the girls, cleverly decorated in the Mexican colors by Alfonso Mendoza, concluded the evening. A number of blindfolded persons endeavored to break the ollas with a cane, one finally being successful, resulting in a shower of candies on the floor with a struggling group picking up the sweets. Miss Muriel Rash and Raymond Leiser were the successful "strickers." To make the fun last longer, the pinata is drawn up out of reach of the cane several times.

A goodly number of pennies resulted from fines for speaking English, as the members pledge themselves to speak Spanish exclusively at the meetings.

The gymnasium is the commercial building, where the meeting was held, was prettily decorated in holly and greenery. Red apples and candies were served.

Present Day Club
The program committee of the Present Day Club has decided that there shall be no meeting of the club on Tuesday, December 16. The musical program scheduled for that date, will be given to the club later in the year. The reason for the postponement of the meeting was that a number of other affairs in which those who are to take part in the program are interested would interfere in the preparation and giving of the program.

Roosevelt Christmas Tree.
A delightful Christmas treat was given Friday to the pupils of the Roosevelt school by the P. T. A. of

that district.

Special features of the day were, a Christmas tree, and Santa Claus, both of which were highly enjoyed by those present.

A program consisting of songs and recitations was rendered by the Kindergarten pupils during the morning and in the afternoon, another program was given by the primary grade pupils, Santa Claus being on hand with a candy cane and a red apple for each pupil.
Much praise is due Mrs. R. J. Brown, president of the association and the grade mothers, who so ably carried out this pleasant surprise.

Entertain Football Team.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Remsburg, 1904 North Main street, entertained the football team, their coach, Morrison, assistant coach Shipkey; manager Crawford and Prof. Shive last evening at an informal dinner party. Red and white, the high school colors, were used as decorations.

Concert Monday Evening.
Members of the Music Association are looking forward to the concert to be given at the First Methodist church with great pleasure. Those who have not already obtained their tickets, may get them at the church.

Jefferson P. T. A. Meets.

The annual Fathers' meeting of Jefferson P. T. A. was held last night in the school building. A. E. Koepsel presiding. Several items of business were transacted before the opening of the entertainment proper. Mrs. C. E. Smith was appointed by Mrs. Robertson, president of the association, to act as committee chairman on Americanization.

Miss Hupp delighted the gathering with a piano solo. Miss Clark-son, daughter of the president of the Federation of P. T. A.'s, followed with a reading that was well received and enjoyed.

The next number was a song by a quartet composed of Mrs. Blanche Summer, leader, Miss Blanche Phillips; Messrs. Wollaston and Richards. Mr. Koepsel then called upon A. B. Gardner for a few remarks on the proposed high school improvements and bonds for payment of same.

Mac Robbins followed with a few well put observations on the bonds. He also moved that the meeting heartily endorse the bond issue and pledge support of it in all ways possible. Unanimously carried.

Percy Richards favored the gathering with a thrilling account of some of his experiences as an ambulance driver on the British front during more than three years of the great war. He was at the extreme front continually, where the average length of life was only seven weeks. Mr. Richards spent more than three years without the respite of a single day and comes back unscathed. His experience furnishes nothing to prompt any leniency toward the Hun whose devilishness so far from having been overdrawn, is beyond the power or privilege of a man to suggest to his fellow beings.

Another number by the quartet was much enjoyed and the association made plain its appreciation of the kindness of Mr. Richards and the musicians in giving the evening to them. A social half hour followed. Coffee and doughnuts were served by Mrs. Farnsworth, Mrs. Snow, Mrs. Twist and others.

W. R. C. Club Meets
The Woman's Relief Corps gave a pleasant tea yesterday afternoon in the G. A. R. hall.

The president, Mrs. Harriet Coulter, being absent, Mrs. Mary Crissman, the senior vice-president, presided.

Mrs. Estelle Ludwig, chairman of the corps, entertained those present with a very pleasing program, and Mrs. Matilda Moesser gave several pretty musical numbers.

Prominent Couple Weds Here
Frederick C. Carlson, copper and oil king, and Frances Cecil Hughes, widely known in Los Angeles society circles, were quietly married here Thursday afternoon by Rev. J. A. Stevenson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson are now spending their honeymoon at Balboa in the pretty cottage Mr. Carlson recently purchased on the bay front. They will sail for Norway next spring.

Kindergarten Party Given
The kindergarten department of Lincoln school, under the supervision of Mrs. Marjorie Warren, assisted by Miss Mildred Smith, gave a very interesting Christmas party and entertainment by the little tots of the kindergarten.

The mothers and some friends were invited, about 50 being present, and thoroughly enjoyed the games, songs, drills, etc., given by the children who surprised the older people in the splendid manner in which they carried out the program.

A genuine surprise was in store for the little ones when a real Santa Claus arrived and gave presents to each child.

A beautiful Christmas tree, which had been decorated by the children, occupied a corner of the room, on which was a present for each father and mother.

The entire room was artistically decorated in keeping with Christmas and everyone present enjoyed the merry party as well as the little ones who entertained.

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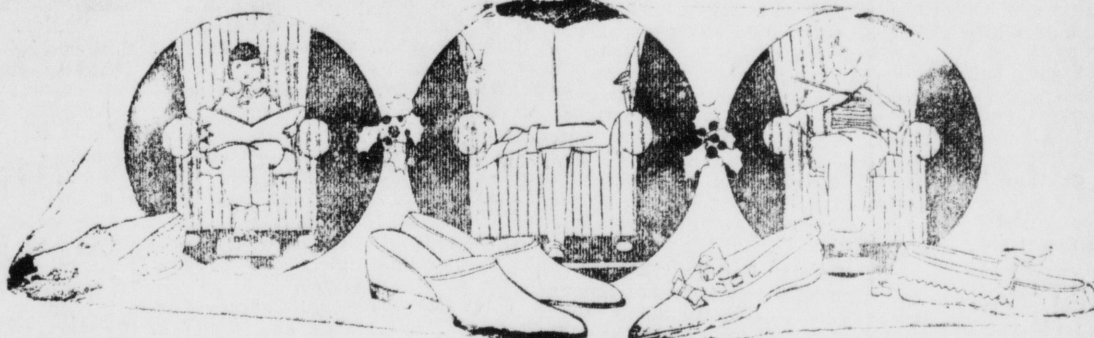
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"Many of these motorists drove out the canyon road, under the tower bridge in Balboa park to the forks in the road 1500 feet north of the bridge," says G. H. Christian, local Maxwell agent. "There they came to that double humped hill with the 6 per cent pitch at the very top and the cross ditch at the bottom, almost in the very center of town, which for years has been the favorite demonstrating grade for hill climbing demons of motorcycle fame."

"At the top of this hill a fortnight ago there was a christening party at which the name of the hill was formally changed from 'Motorcycle hill' and a huge cross reared, carrying the new name. And the celebration and the new name all came about through a chance remark made in a San Diego saloon to a prospective purchaser of a motor car by a salesman who remarked that he had a car which could conquer the double humped nose of 'Motorcycle hill'."

"Prove it," said the prospect. "I happen to know that a number of mighty good automobiles have tackled that grade in the past three years and not one in all that time ever got to the top."

"That was the conversation which gave the name 'Maxwell hill' to that terrific shoot up the ridge in Laurel canyon, which has been the stumbling block to former 'would-be' hill-climbing motor cars in San Diego. It was done on the spur of the moment, with not one iota of preparation given the Maxwell. The gas tank wasn't even full and no extra oil was in the car. Yet the tracks of the Maxwell are there, clear over the top, and the San Diego Maxwell dealers have issued an invitation to the public to come and ride with them at any time up Maxwell hill."

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Rowdies Of The Highway

From the Santa Barbara News

There are too many road hogs. There are too many rowdies of the highway. The turnpike which of yore was unsafe because of footpads was a heaven of Elysian security compared to what it is made today by these people. The streets of the city are unsafe. The pedestrian ducks and runs and makes the crossing at the risk of his life. The wary motorist himself is in constant jeopardy of being side-swiped, shunted or bunted, by the hoodlums of the highway. The mad desire of some whippersnapper to "get there" results in the death of maiming of the innocent motorist or foot passenger. The spirit of Steve Brody is too much abroad on the byways and highways. These things do not all apply to Santa Barbara, but they do in part apply here.

Down in Los Angeles, where they boast of everything, they are now flaunting the fact that Los Angeles leads in street fatalities. "Chicago must look to laurels as killing metropolis," says the headline in a Los Angeles newspaper. Last month there were 1554 traffic accidents in Los Angeles. In October there were 1516. There have been 15 deaths in the first seven days of December. There were 13 deaths in October and 11 in November. The score of the United States against Mexico is not so bad as the score of Los Angeles against motorists.

The root of the trouble lies in the lack of consideration for the other fellow. "I'll take a chance," says the driver. It would be alright if he were the only person involved in the chance. But more often than not it is the other fellow who runs in bad luck. There is not enough courtesy on the road, there is not enough consideration for others, there is not enough gallantry.

CANTALOUPE PLANTED BY INDIANS IN 1497

Attorney M. W. Conklin of El Centro is fond of delving into the past to find facts connected with real history. While on his trips to Washington during the time he served the irrigation board as attorney, Conklin spent much of his time in the great national library, and took occasion to look up the very early history of Imperial county.

Those who believed that prior to its comparatively recent settlement there was nothing much of record about it, are surprised to learn that cantaloupes were raised by the American Indians who roamed the waters of the Colorado river, according to the records.

A government surveyor reported in his official records in 1850 that the Indians in what is now known as Silsbee, raised corn and water melons. "Irrigating them with rain of it," those Indians knew something even in that day of irrigation from the streams that run in certain seasons.

DEMURS AT BRINGING CHARGE OF BURGLARY

Declaring he was in favor of giving the man he accused an opportunity to return an overcoat and a pair of gloves, which he alleged had been stolen from him, R. A. Burk at the office of the district attorney hesitated for several minutes before deciding to swear to a complaint charging Ben Murdock with burglary.

"Give him a chance to bring his coat and gloves back," Burk was quoted to have said, before the complaint was drawn up. The complaint alleged that the theft of which Murdock is accused occurred at the Vendome, 110 1/2 East Fourth street. The coat was declared to be worth \$30.

Should Be Quarantined
Many physicians believe that any one who has a bad cold should be completely isolated to prevent other members of the family and associates from contracting the disease, as colds are about as catching as measles. One thing sure—the sooner one rids himself of a cold, the less the danger, and you will look a good while before you find a better medicine than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to aid you in curing a cold. Adv.

ARE BACK FROM TRIP THROUGH THE EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rankin Visit Old Homes, Hear Peace Treaty Debate

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rankin returned this week from a combined business and pleasure trip through several points in the east. The "old home places" of both families were visited. Mr. Rankin's in southern Indiana, and Mrs. Rankin's in No. Vermont. Between these visits an enjoyable trip to Washington, D. C., where a day was spent at the Capitol when the debate on the Peace Treaty was warmest, with several other days allowed for trips through the government buildings. Two days were spent in Boston and vicinity.

Mr. Rankin spent ten days in the New York markets to acquaint himself for the Rankin Dry Goods Co., with conditions and the prospects for next year. On the return trip, stop overs were made at Niagara Falls, Chicago, Colorado Springs and San Francisco. The northwest, from Chicago on, was covered with a mantle of snow, which made the trip exceedingly interesting for the Southern Californians. But with the specter of a coal famine dogging their homeward trail, Mrs. Rankin says that the green, growing things of Southern California never were so beautiful, or so welcome at sight.

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Pathe Phonographs and Records.—Horton-Spurgeon Furniture Company, Fourth and Spurgeon Streets.

Here Are Don'ts To Help Prevent Accidents On Roads

HERE are the latest "Don'ts" compiled by the Automobile Club of Southern California for motorists to learn if they would help reduce the remarkable number of accidents on the highways throughout the southern part of the state:

DON'T blow your horn in an attempt to hurry a herd of cows off the road. It can't be done.
DON'T start a race with a friend on a public highway.
DON'T fail to give proper warning when attempting to pass a machine from the rear.
DON'T leave your car standing with the engine running.
DON'T speed through small towns.
DON'T go back onto main highway or away from the curb without holding your signal arm out.
DON'T cut corners, even in the country.
DON'T depend on the other fellow to stop.
DON'T take a chance and try to beat a street car or a train to a crossing.
DON'T fail to drive slowly past a school.

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These tablets are intended especially for indigestion and constipation. They tone up the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They act gently on the liver and bowels, thereby restoring the stomach and bowels to a healthy condition. When you feel dull, stupid and constipated give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with their effect.—Adv.

SERBIAN IS TO GIVE ADDRESS TOMORROW

Man Who Will Speak Here Served During the War's Terrific Struggle

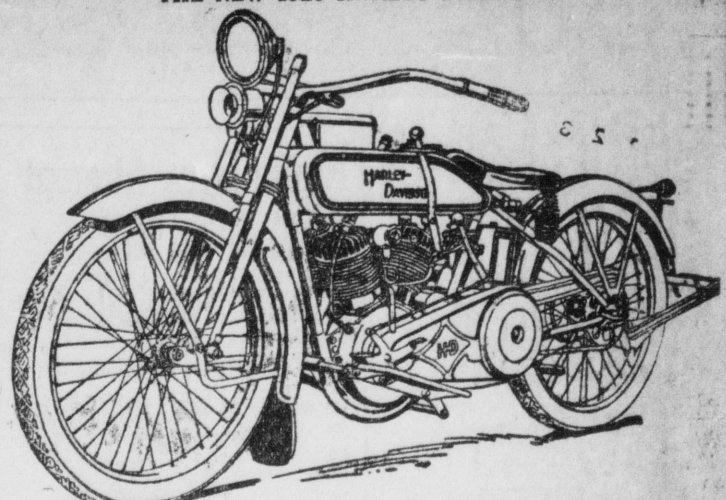
Tomorrow, Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock an address will be delivered at the parish hall of the Episcopal church, corner Bush and Seventh streets, by Lieut. Krunich.

Lieut. Krunich is a distinguished Serbian officer who served through the horrors of the first attack on his country and shared in the terrible and historic retreat. He speaks as one who has seen and felt the sufferings he describes. At present Lieut. Krunich is a member of the faculty at Berkeley. His command of English is perfect and his dramatic account of the struggle of his people is a story of thrilling interest. His address here is in the interest of the fund for the relief in Serbia and Armenia.

PAULUS FUNERAL AT OLIVE ON THURSDAY

OLIVE, Dec. 13.—The funeral of David Paulus, who died Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. Lemke, at Stanton, was held Thursday afternoon at one o'clock from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Meyer at Olive. Mr. Paulus was 71 years, ten months and twenty days old and leaves a son, R. H. Paulus, at Olive, and the two daughters, Rev. Theiss of the Lutheran church at Olive had charge of the services.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

THIRD ALARM IN BUGS' CHAIN IS BROKEN

id Fined \$50 and Given Jail Term For Sounding Bogus Signals

olled, officers said, in an attempt turn in a third false fire alarm this morning. The first alarm was given by William Moore, 18, and W. H. Shear, sailor, were placed under arrest today were fined \$50 each by Recorder W. F. Heathman and cause of inability to pay began serving a thirty-day sentence in the city jail.

Shear was arrested at Garden today. Both men were first arrested late last night at the corner of Second and Flower streets, where fire alarm box number 35 is located. Firemen today said that two men were about to turn in an alarm from this box when they were taken into custody by Fireman Earl Elliott.

After Shear was released, officers at the time to connect the men with two false alarms that had been turned in earlier in the morning. Later, Moore was re-arrested. Search for Shear was renewed, and he was said to have confessed, owing his second arrest.

The first false alarm to be turned in came from box No. 51, located at the corner of Ninth and Main streets. The alarm was sounded at 10:54 a. m. A second false alarm was turned in from box 16, at the corner of First and French streets, at 11:28 a. m. before Recorder Heathman today. Moore and Shear pleaded guilty to having turned in false alarms. A \$50 fine was imposed upon each of them and they were given thirty-day terms in the county jail for default of the money to cover the fines.

An alarm turned in at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon sent a truck to the home of E. C. Phillips, 405 South Birch street, where electric iron, left charged, set to an ironing board. The blaze quickly extinguished.

OLD IN ILLINOIS; HOME FOR COMFORT


RANGE, Dec. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Pruitt were more than surprised Thursday by the arrival of their son, Charles Pruitt, from Illinois.

Charles is attending the University of Illinois at Champaign, but on account of the extreme cold and the coal the rooming houses and family houses have closed for an indefinite period. The college also has closed for the Christmas holidays. Mr. Pruitt found it as cheap and more pleasant to come home for holidays. Wilbur Woods, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Woods, 21 South Orange street, who is attending the same university in Illinois, will spend his holidays with his brother, Ralph Woods, in Mexico. Ralph Woods, who has been attending a medical school in Mexico, will graduate with his class tomorrow, but, having finished his studies in the classes is serving his internship in the St. Joseph hospital in Chicago.

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Nurse Bars Attempt Of Man To Kill Self At Hospital

WITH a strip torn from a bed sheet wrapped around his neck and slowly strangling him, S. A. Perkins, 65, in one of the cells of the psychiatric ward at the County Hospital today was prevented from committing suicide.

Perkins had tied one end of the improvised rope to one of the posts of an iron bed in his cell. Wrapping the other end of the strip of cloth around his neck, he lay on the floor, the resulting tension quickly bringing on strangulation. When found by a nurse, life was nearly extinct.

Perkins was arrested recently at Fullerton on a charge brought by S. L. Hoge and involving Hoge's 7-year-old daughter. At the county jail Perkins complained of pains and was removed to the county hospital.

His attempt at suicide was interrupted at 10 o'clock this morning. When the strip of improvised rope was removed Perkins quickly recovered, and was returned to the county jail.

SET ALLEGED CHECK JUGGLING CASE TRIAL

On the calendar today for trial in Department 2, superior court, on December 24, was an action brought by the Elsinore Valley Growers' Association against James Agaganian and in which the plaintiff will seek a judgment of \$754.45, alleged to be the aggregate sum of five checks which Agaganian was claimed to have received from the association for the alleged purpose of enabling Charles S. Brown, former general manager of the concern, to appropriate the money to his own use. Brown was alleged to have written the checks, one of which was made out to Agaganian, it was claimed, and the other four in favor of the Los Angeles Rubbish Company, according to the complaint.

AUTO CRASH ACTION TRIAL DATE IS SET

An action through which Henry Sevaly of this city, will seek a judgment of \$210 from A. B. Watson, proprietor of the Crown Stage Line, as the result of alleged injuries sustained in an automobile accident on December 20, 1917, was today set for trial in justice court, on January 5, in the complaint, which Sevaly filed through attorneys Scarborough, Forgy & Reinhaus, on December 18, 1918, it was alleged that the plaintiff was injured when a stage owned by Watson, and driven by C. L. Knight, collided with another automobile on the Long Beach boulevard near Compton. Sevaly alleged carelessness on the part of Knight.

GRANTED FINAL DECREE

Minnie Davey today was freed of matrimonial bonds. Superior Judge West granting her a final decree of divorce from Bert L. Davey. W. F. Heathman was attorney for the plaintiff.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

The trial of George Schupert, whom Ella S. Kellogg charged with using profane and boisterous language in her presence at Brea, was today on the justice court calendar for December 19, at 2 o'clock. Schupert was released on his own recognizance.

TRIAL DATE SET

Thomas A. Crasnow entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of cruelty to animals and his case was today on the justice court calendar for trial December 26 at 2 o'clock. He was accused of tying a chain to the horns of a cow and dragging her in the rear of a wagon.

FREE OF MARITAL BONDS

Sadie Scott of La Habra today was free of matrimonial bonds. Superior Judge Williams having granted her an interlocutory decree of divorce from John Scott, Jr. She told the court her husband had deserted her for another woman. Clyde Bishop was her attorney.

GRANTED DECREE

Superior Judge West has granted an interlocutory decree of divorce to Myrtle Slack from John E. Slack. Testimony was given by Alice Hallcraft. The defendant was not in court.

IS GRANTED DIVORCE

After having testified before Superior Judge West, Maude Blackburn today had an interlocutory decree of divorce from William Newland, Jr. Testimony was given by the plaintiff and by Grace M. Gerhart and William Gerhart.

ASKS \$1,000 AS COUNSEL FEE IN ACTION

Foreclosure Suits Against Land Near Talbert Is Instituted Here

Attorney's fees in the amount of \$1,000 were asked in a mortgage foreclosure action, in superior court today by Attorney Rex Hardy, of Los Angeles, which will seek a sheriff's sale of 120 acres of land near Talbert, to satisfy an alleged mortgage given to secure a \$15,000 promissory note.

The defendants named in the action were N. H. McCuiston, Susie C. McCuiston, Thomas J. Buskey, and the Western Gas Engine Corporation.

The alleged note was dated on June 27, 1916, and was signed by officers of the Citizens Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles, guardian of the estate of N. H. McCuiston, who had been adjudged incompetent, but who has since been restored to competency. The sum named in the note, \$15,000, was made payable to the Fraternal Brotherhood.

Fifteen thousand dollars was asked of McCuiston, as well as \$638.36 additional, claimed to have been expended by the plaintiff in redeeming the property from tax sale and in paying taxes, together with \$25 alleged to have been expended in searching title; and for \$1,000 attorney's fees.

From the defendants in toto will be sought the costs of the action; and that the property, or as much of it as may be necessary, be adjudged to be sold by the sheriff of Orange county, to pay the sums declared in the complaint to be liens on the mortgaged property; and that the plaintiff or any other party to the action may be purchaser at the sale.

TUSTIN REALTY FEE CASE IS APPEALED

Attorney John A. Clarkson today filed an appeal in superior court for C. A. Vance, plaintiff in an action which was decided by Justice of the Peace H. W. Smith, of Tustin township, in favor of L. Fortier Gates, whom Vance is suing for \$200 damages, alleged to have been sustained when Gates, according to the complaint, failed to reimburse Vance for services rendered in securing a purchaser for \$6000 worth of real property.

TRAINING SHIP PLAN ABANDONED BY STATE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The state training ship project for schooling future merchant marine officers has been abandoned. President J. H. McCallum of the state board of harbor commissioners announced today.

The gunboat Annapolis, which has been at Mare Island navy yard several months waiting to become the school ship, will be sent to Philadelphia to become the school ship for a similar project by Pennsylvania, it was announced.

Failure of the government to appropriate \$25,000 to add to a like amount set aside by the state of California was given as the reason for abandoning the plan.

CARLOAD OAKLANDS COMING NEXT WEEK

With a car load of Oakland sixes due next week Edgar and Hays are anticipating making some of the patient ones on their waiting list happy just before Christmas by delivery of new machines. The carload is scheduled to arrive next week, but freight in these more or less troublous days does not always move to schedule.

G. E. Darnell and George Heil this week were made happy with delivery of Oakland.

DO YOU ENJOY YOUR MEALS?

If you do not enjoy your meals your digestion is faulty. Eat moderately, especially meat, masticate your food thoroughly. Let 5 hours elapse between meals and take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper and you will soon find your meals to be a real pleasure.—Adv.

FIVE HEALS IN WRECK

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 12.—Five persons, including three women were painfully injured early today when a Southern Pacific train struck a Los Angeles street. The injured were all from Los Angeles.

THE HOUSES THAT WERE BUILT OF BRICK NEARLY A CENTURY AGO ARE STILL MAKING GOOD, BUT THERE IS NO COMPARISON BETWEEN THE BRICK MADE THEN AND THE MODERN BRICK WE ARE MAKING.

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CANNOT CHARGE FOR COVER AT MEAT PRICE

McPhee Proposes to Enforce Net Container Act In Market Sales

County Sealer George McPhee today announced his intention of enforcing the net container law to the very letter with particular reference to the retail meat trade.

According to McPhee a considerable number of meat market men in Orange county are continuing the old practice of selling cured meats gross for net, or in other words, charging the consumer for the wrapper and string at the same rate as the meat, thus adding somewhere about four to five per cent to the proper cost.

It seems that this improper practice has been handed down for many years, and notwithstanding the fact that the long fight made by the packers to be allowed to continue this questionable method was lost over a year ago by a decision of the federal court, the old system is still in vogue in many meat markets.

McPhee has had several complaints within the last month, but owing to lack of sufficient evidence to sustain the charges he has refrained from taking the charges into court, but quite recently he has satisfied himself that an interview with Judge Cox might convince a few of the county meat dealers of the danger of monkeying with the buzz-saw, and he proposes to bring about several such conferences if conditions in that part of the retail meat business where the law is not obeyed are not at once changed.

To illustrate the possible loss in buying the string and wrapper with the meat, McPhee points out that the covering on a five pound strip of Swift's bacon weighs something over five ounces, so that at sixty cents per pound, the price of the bacon, the consumer is mulcted just eighteen and three quarter cents on his three dollar purchase, when he is made to pay for the covering.

The packers now, however, are marking net weight on their products and this practice is plainly and conspicuously placed as required by law, but the retailers, or at least some of them, have been keeping right along under the old system and allowing the tail to follow the hide, or the wrapper and string to go with the meat when serving customers.

But all this is going to be changed, according to McPhee, as he says he proposes to accept no more excuses and will take the matter into court at the very first opportunity.

N. DAKOTA SOLONS WOULD OUST LANGER

BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 12.—The North Dakota house of representatives yesterday passed the senate's concurrent resolution, requesting the resignation of Attorney-General William Langer.

The vote in the house was 61 to 14, and in the senate 29 to 16. The resolution charged Langer with things, that Attorney-General Langer has "betrayed the farmers of this state," and "unlawfully attempted to wreck" the Scandinavian-American Bank of Fargo and "all other banks friendly to the farmers of this state."

It is also charged that Langer "published an interview in the public press, charging the governor and the judges of the supreme court with being crooks and conspirators."

City Garbage Notice

As the City is selling the garbage for Hog feed, all Dishes, Glass, Medicine, Lime, Ashes and Lye, must not be put in with the garbage can or anything that will endanger the life of the hogs. Put all such material in Trash Box not garbage can.

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AGENTS URGING THEIR RETURN TO MEXICO

Orange County Mexicans, However, Seem Not to Be In the Movement

For the last two weeks Mexican families in various parts of Southern California have been quietly packing up and leaving for Mexico. According to the best information obtainable, Mexican agents have been moving around among them, urging them to get on the other side of the border, because, said the agents, war between Mexico and the United States is certain.

While it is known that several Mexicans have left Santa Ana recently, one group of four saying they were going to Southern Mexico and another family saying they were going to Imperial Valley, there has not been any unusual exodus here. Orange county Mexicans seem not to be joining in the movement to return to Mexico.

However, in the last week several scores of Mexicans have gone from San Bernardino, Colton and Redlands. The Redlands Facts has the following:

"Many Mexicans from the colonies at Redlands and from Redlands Junction have left for Mexico recently as a result of the talk of war, according to railroad men. They have been going for several days, but the railroad men here paid no attention until yesterday, when about 40 left from San Bernardino and a like number went from Colton. Among them were several Mexicans of Redlands.

"Most of the men are said to be railroad men and traveling on passes. Some of them are from the road gangs and their going will

make a shortage in labor. Many of them have sold all they own, and practically all have some money.

"Men have been going among them for two days now telling them that war was certain, but it is believed, now that Mexico has retreated from her position, that no more of them will go."

Mrs. Edith Bohannon, principal of one of the Mexican schools here, said that she did not know of any agent working among the Mexicans.

"I have heard nothing of Mexicans leaving this county to go back to Mexico to fight or for any other purpose," said Sheriff Jackson. "If there was anything of that nature in the air I am sure that I would hear of it. Threatened trouble between Mexico and the United States seems to have caused little excitement among the Mexicans here."

BABY TIGER ON PORCH

REDWOOD CITY, Colo., Dec. 13.—James B. Logan, a traffic officer, heard a whimpering from his front porch. He went out to investigate, believing he would find a baby, for the whimpering was strangely like that of an infant. On the porch was a basket and in the basket carefully wrapped in woollens the "baby." It was a baby Bengal tiger. No one knows where it came from and Logan wonders what he is going to do with it.

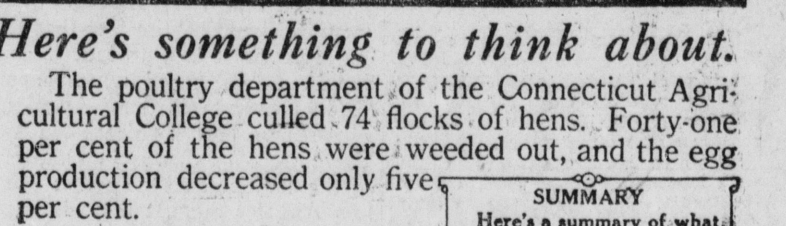
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Motor Section

NEWS of events in the motor car world that is of especial interest to autoists, prospective car owners and dealers of Santa Ana and Orange county.

Santa Ana Register

Motor Section

INFORMATION and items of real interest about motor trucks now being widely employed in the county, and farm tractors that will particularly interest growers.

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Motor Officers Ordered to Nab Traffic Law Violators

SWALES LEASES ROOM ON EAST FIFTH TO ENLARGE BUSINESS

Will Throw Two Rooms Together to Provide Quarters For Added Line

A lease being concluded today will give L. G. Swales enlarged quarters for his Samson tractor agency on East Fifth street and will probably delay for a time the proposed erection of a two story brick building on South Main street for a home for his business. He purchased the South Main street lot from Chas. L. Cotant last week, and contemplated the building to provide room for enlarging his business by the addition of a line of high grade used cars. The lease which he has secured and which has caused a change in his plans for the present is on the room immediately adjoining his present location on the east. The two will be thrown together by the removal of the brick wall separating them, giving him a fifty foot frontage with the room extending to the alley at the rear. It is the McEdden property, the numbers he will occupy being 114-16 East Fifth street.

Swales has developed a big business with the Samson tractor and proposes adding a used car department. It is his plan to handle a high grade of second hand cars, and when the alterations necessary to adapt the room to his purpose are completed will devote considerable space to a display of such machines. Swales reports the delivery this week of Samson tractors to E. H. Willard of Irvine and J. H. Ficus of South Main street.

ANKLE FRACTURED IN MOTOR CRASH

Melville V. Bowles of Orange was taken to the Santa Ana hospital yesterday with a fractured left ankle. The man was injured near San Juan Capistrano when a motorcycle he was riding collided with an automobile driven by N. L. Arnold of San Juan Capistrano.

WASSER AND EVANS NEW AUTO AGENTS

Wasser and Evans, former automobile men of Seattle, have located in Santa Ana with the agency for the Columbia and Leach-Biltwell line of automobiles. They are located at 419 East Fourth street, and have cars of each make on display. Both lines have attracted considerable attention this week, when driven on the streets by H. G. Scott, local man, who is salesman for the firm.

The machines have graceful and attractive lines and whenever the demonstrator stopped, crowds were attracted that at times threatened to block traffic. The cars are sixes.

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Uncle Jimmy Shaw Tells Of Killing Grizzly, And Fight With Injured Buck

THOUGH he saw a number of bears in the mountains, and had killed the biggest grizzly he ever saw, and though he had seen mountain lions in the open, the nearest that "Uncle Jimmy" Shaw ever came to being killed was when he tangled up with a wounded buck. That buck came very near ending Uncle Jimmy's hunting days before Uncle Jimmy moved into the Trabuco. The story of the killing of the big bear, the story of the struggle with the wounded buck, and a review of early day hunting go to make up this article of the Register's Old Hunter series.

There aren't very many old hunters or new ones either who have tramped more miles in the mountains or who have brought down more deer than Uncle Jimmy Shaw. His real name is James F. Shaw, but near everyone knows him either as Uncle Jimmy or as Dod. He lives down in Laguna Canyon. He and his wife are on a little ranch there, surrounded by foothills that keep them reminded always of the country as they knew it in early days, while past their door whirl automobiles on paved roads. Things are different from what they used to be. The hunting is nearly all gone. Yes, but the old timers are just the same hearty somrads they were in the years ago when they climbed mountains faster and tramped further than they can today. Uncle Jimmy Shaw was one of those pioneers who fairly worshipped the out-of-doors. Forty-five years ago and along until about thirty-one years ago he lived around Los Angeles, most of the time at

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UNCLE HENRY REMINISCENT Gavvy Aided By Schultz SQUABBLE ON TODAY B'GUM

By HERMAN REUTER.

"If ye got a house, most poplar indoor sport nowadays is to sell it," said Uncle Henry, holding open the door of his touring car, which was parked for a few minutes in front of the courthouse. "One o' the latest house transferin' deals wuz pulled off, this week by Toots Schultz, who is one o' the best pitchers in the Coast League, as ye p'raps know, young feller. This here Schultz, who works for the Los Angeles team, had a house down at Laguna for a couple o' years. At last he yielded to the siren call o' the shekels and fust thing ye know his house down there is sold."

"Speakin' o' Toots Schultz," Uncle Henry continued, "it wud appear that Gavvy Cravath is doin' a gosh darn lot o' camouflagin' lately. Here he's been passin' aroun' the word, mysterious like, that he's figgerin' on gittin' Pertica for his Philles. Well, fother day, Toots breezes into town an' remarks, casual, that he un'erstan' Gavvy hez jes' about put through a deal to trade Lena Blackburn, his third baseman, for Curley Brown o' the Los Angeles outfit, an' one o' the best pitchers in the Coast League. O' course, it's Cravath's bizness if he wants to keep his negotiations more or less in the dark, but he might drop a hint, occasional, to his friends here."

"Which reminds me o' the time when Gavvy Cravath busted into big league camp, back east," Uncle Henry went on. "It wuz back in 1914, I believe. Toots Schultz, wuz jined the big tune along about then, wuz one o' the highest salaried college pitchers."

"Well, Cravath had been bought from the Minneapolis crowd an' wuz bein' played on the bench. They hadn't given him a chanst to play, yet. At that time, Sherwood Magee wuz the star outfielder on the Philly outfit. This Magee wuz a great feller to 'ride' new ball players."

"One day Toots Schultz wuz pitchin' to Magee. Toots lobbed one over an' hit Magee on the arm. Well, that wuz Cravath's chanst, an' he

wuz put in in Magee's place. In a game against Rube Marquard, Cravath proceeded to lambaste a home run an' a flock o' singles an' doubles, with the result that he busted up the game. The nex' pitcher Gavvy goes up against is Mathewson, an' he repeats his hittin' tactics, poundin' the ole pill all over the lot.

"From that day on Cravath wuz a reglar player in the outfield for Philly. So, ye see, Toots Schultz wuz really responsible for Cravath gittin' his chanst to show what he could do."

"Toots came out here with Cravath, followin' Cravath's rust season with the Phils an' bought a place at Laguna."

"One thing that's arousin' a considerable amount o' interest jes' now is the game that's goin' to be played on New Year's Day at Pasadena between Harvard an' Oregon University. Mebbe ye don't recall it, young feller, but 'Shy' Huntington, what's coachin' the Oregon outfit, fit now, is the same that kind o' showed up Barry, the Pennsylvania star, in the game at Pasadena a couple o' years ago between Pennsy an' Oregon University. Huntington hed it all over the eastern fullback for individue playin'."

"Which reminds me that the squabble between Fullerton and Long Beach is bein' settled at Washington Park in Los Angeles this afternoon. Since they postponed the game las' Saturday on account o' rain it seems that the rel'tive stock o' the two outfits hed kind o' evened up like. Howsomever, young man, that don't mean I'm changin' my mind about Long Beach hev'n a little the adage on the ole men."

"Well, young feller, I guess ye'll hev to skin out o' here," said Uncle Henry, suddenly. "I see the two gals comin'. Mebbe I kin persuade 'em to go to that football game in Los this afternoon. See ye later."

MORE ATHLETIC ACTIVITY IN GRADES IS ADVOCATED

Morrison Urges Development of Bigger Crop of Athletes Here

Basketball Schedule

THE High School Basketball League schedule this season is as follows:

SOUTHERN DIVISION
Jan. 9—Santa Ana at Huntington Beach, Orange at Anaheim.
Jan. 16—Santa Ana at Anaheim, Huntington Beach at Orange.
Jan. 23—Orange at Santa Ana, Anaheim at Huntington Beach.

NORTHERN DIVISION
Jan. 10—Whittier at San Diego, Pomona at Fullerton.
Jan. 17—Pomona at Whittier, Fullerton at San Diego.
Jan. 24—San Diego at Pomona, Whittier at Fullerton.
Jan. 30—Finals between two divisions.

Deploring what he declared to be the fact that athletics are not more widely encouraged in the grammar grades, Coach Marvin (Spud) Morrison of the Polytechnic high school, in a statement today advocated the institution of leagues in various departments of sport among the grade institutions here in order to encourage the development of "crops" of athletes, ready to jump into harness on entering the prep schools.

Material in all branches of sports at the high school this year is inexperienced, and it will take time to get men in good shape for their activities," said Morrison. "This is frequently the case in high schools. One year there is a good team, then they graduate and new material has to be worked up for a period of two or three years for another championship team."

"It is too bad that athletics are not encouraged in the grammar grades in the city more than they are. If the various grammar schools of the city and vicinity had a league in football, baseball, basketball and so on, and the little chaps were started early in these sports, then there would be a 'crop' of athletes coming into the high school each year."

"Too Bad," Says Coach
"As it is now, very few freshmen turn out for athletics, at least not as many as do from the smaller upper classes. This is too bad, for it is the various sports and stays on for it makes the all-southern team in his junior and senior years."

Monday the First team in basketball goes to Redlands to play the Redlands high school. Though the Redlands men have been organized some time and have had much more practice than the Santa Ana boys, they will have a hard time to defeat the local team.

This is the first week of practice, and more enthusiasm has been shown in this sport at Poly than during any other year in the school's history. Though most of the men out are not experienced in basketball, they are sure to be in fair shape before the league games start on January 9, and with Coach Ficken their mentor the local boys are sure to be represented in the league with a better team than the school has ever turned out.

Basketball Comes Back
Basketball has generally been a back number years before, and there were times when little schools like Huntington Beach ran up such scores as 101 to 3, and Orange and Fullerton did nearly as much damage. This will not be the case this year, the Santa Anans declare, and they hope to stand at the top or very near the top when the league schedule is over.

Coach Ficken comes from Grinnell College, and for four years played on the team of that college. In three of these four years they won the state championship, besides trimming various other colleges of eastern states.

Coach Ficken also pitched for his college nine and they annexed the state championship in baseball more than once during his college career. In 1912 he was coach at Fullerton high school and that year they won the county championship in baseball from Santa Ana and the local school had a strong team that year, as old fans remember. "Tiny" Barker was twirling for the local boys. Also, Coach Ficken's team cleaned up in basketball that year. Since that time he has been in the Imperial valley.

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NORTHROP WILL MOVE HOUSE TO N. BROADWAY BY JAN. 1

Leases East First Street Lot to Standard Oil Company For Station

The Standard Oil company has leased the lot on East First street upon which the residence of J. H. Northrop is located and will use it for enlarging its oil station and grounds at the corner of First and Main. The lot is immediately east of the one upon which the station is now located and by throwing the two together more room will be available for patrons of the company at this station.

Jack Olivarra occupies a part of the original lease for the station with his vulcanizing shop and the changes to be made will not affect him or he has a lease that is operative for a year and a half yet. Whether he will have to surrender the location at the expiration of that time remains for the future to disclose.

The lease by the Standard Oil company for the purpose of enlarging its station, along with the announcement this week that L. G. Swales had purchased the Chas. Cotant lot on Main street south of the Northrop lot for business purposes indicates that the corner of First and Main is becoming a desirable business location. Swales contemplates the erection of a two story brick building on his purchase, but plans developing today may delay the start of the building by Swales. J. H. Northrop will move his residence from First street to North Broadway. He has purchased a lot immediately south of the home of his son in law, Dr. J. M. Burlew, from Will Armstrong. The lot has a frontage of 66 2/3 feet and extends from Broadway to Sycamore. Northrop will make alterations and improvements in the residence that will make it very attractive and appropriate to the fine location he has secured.

He expects to have the house on the lot by the first of the year, the lease calling for occupancy of the First street lot by the Standard Oil by the first of the month.

MOUND ASPIRANTS AT POLY TRAINING

Limbering-up practice has been holding the boards on the Polytechnic athletic field during the past week, pitching aspirants doing easy tossing and throwing preliminary to getting their muscles into trim and taking the stiffness out of their joints.

Practice will be held up during the holidays, of course, but when school reopens in January it is expected that there will be a rush of young athletes for berths on this season's team. Interest in baseball is keen, Coach Ficken said.

Among those who are getting into shape for try-outs for mound positions are Howard Cox, John Spangler, Newton Stark, Roy Le Bard, and Elliott Best. All are sophomores or freshmen, save Spangler. Ted Coffman will try to land a berth as catcher, it was stated.

MOTOR CAR NO LUXURY NOW MADE VERY CLEAR

If one resident of Charlotte, N. C., is permitted to be heard, his plaint will go far toward convincing the world—if, indeed, it has not already been convinced—that the motor car is actually a necessity. He recently wrote a distributor in Charlotte as follows:

"I want my Cadillac. I need my Cadillac. I miss my Cadillac. The neighbors miss my Cadillac. My children cry for the Cadillac. My wife pines for the Cadillac, and the police miss my Cadillac, while the gasoline men watch for my Cadillac. It has been three weeks, almost, since my Cadillac left me. I yearn for that Cadillac in its old accustomed place. People say, 'Where is your Cadillac?' I have the Cadillac fever. Send the medicine at once, lest, at any time, I forget myself and commit violence, so much so, that we have a 'recall' election. Please hurry back with my Cadillac. When will you bring it back?"

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Reckless Drivers To Get Little Leniency from Cox



Many Accidents Could Be Avoided By Observing Traffic Rules

"The man who comes into my court following citation by a motorcop for speeding at forty miles an hour and declares that he was going only twenty-five or thirty is either insane or a good liar," declared Justice J. B. Cox, the terror of speed maniacs, today, in discussing what constitutes careless driving.

Carelessness of drivers is responsible for many accidents that occur throughout the Southland, some of

FULLERTON BATTLES BEACH GRID OUTFIT FOR SO. CAL. TITLE

Without interference from J. Pluvius, the Fullerton Union high school football squad, winner of the Orange League title, and the Long Beach organization, top-notchers in the City League, were tangling on the Washington Park, Los Angeles, gridiron this afternoon, to determine the pigskin supremacy of Southern California.

Prior to the first blast of the referee's whistle this afternoon it appeared to be a toss-up among the "dopesters" as to which team was the favorite. Rain caused the postponement of the game last Saturday and since then it appeared that the stock of the contenders had somewhat evened.

It was said today that both teams weighed about the same, the average approximating 160 pounds. Both organizations were evenly matched as to speed, and both outfits were in charge of veteran quarterbacks, The Long Beach quarter, Dolley, and the Fullerton quarter, Hawkins, seldom fail to annex punts, and it appeared to be conceded that Dolley, at least, would be certain to come in at least a few yards.

Fullerton had scored 341 points to its opponents' 29 in nine games, while Long Beach had scored 258 to opponents' 14 in seven games.

WITNESS IS ARRESTED
BERLIN, Dec. 13.—Capt. Von Kessel, one of the witnesses in the trial of Lieut. Marlow, has been placed under arrest on charges of perjury, forgery and the issuance of a challenge to a duel.

See the pretty dolls in Mateer Gemmel Drug Co. window—ten of them will be given away absolutely free—ask about them.

VIOLATIONS OF ARM SIGNALS TO CAUSE ARRESTS

Strict Enforcement of Law Will Prevent Many Accidents, Belief

In a campaign to lessen automobile accidents on the road and at street intersections, County Motorcops Roy Ballard and O. K. Carr today are working under instructions to enforce to the letter the provisions of the last motor vehicle law—and this means the enforcement of the use of arm signals in turning and stopping.

It is the belief of officers that where the hand signals are rigidly followed many accidents can be prevented. While it may seem ridiculous to some auto drivers to be compelled to give a signal when a turn to the right is to be made, the legislators of the law deemed it of sufficient importance to designate a signal for this turn, and it must be obeyed.

Where two cars are going in the same direction, the law prohibits the one in the rear passing the other on the right, and because of this a signal for a right hand turn seems unnecessary. The law says it is necessary, and those who do not observe it are liable to meet up with one of the men who patrol the city streets and county roads with their eyes peeled for infractions of the law.

Too many people use the wrong arm signals, despite the publicity that has been given the regulations. There are men and women who today extend their hand upwards when they intend turning their machine to the left, and which is the signal for a turn in the direction opposite to the side of the car on which the driver is seated.

There are still cars operating in this section where the wheel and control are located on the right hand side. If the operator of such a car wants to turn to his left, he holds his right hand straight up, where the operator of a left-hand drive machine would extend his left arm horizontally. A left-hand drive machine operator, to turn to the right, should extend his left hand vertically; to turn to the left, he should extend it horizontally and to slow down or stop, should drop the arm below the line of the horizontal signal.

Now get this, as it might save you a fine some day: For drivers of left-hand operated cars—Extend left arm vertically for turn to the right, extend it horizontally for a turn to the left, drop the arm a little below the horizontal line for slowing down or stopping.

For operators of right-hand drive machines—Extend right arm vertically for turn to the left, horizontally for turn to the right, down for slowing up or stopping.

Arrests have been made in this

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TELLS OF BEAR HUNT, FIGHTS WITH BUCK

Uncle Jimmy Shaw's Story Is Added to the Old Hunter Series

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Downey. He went out on many a hunt.

He and Bob Morrow

"I've hunted through nearly all of the mountains from Ft. Tejon to San Diego," said Shaw. "Bob Morrow, who lived at Downey, and I, used to hunt a great deal together. It became when I lived at Downey, and it continued on down for many years after I moved to the Trabuco about thirty years ago. Bob was a good shot, and, well, I could shoot pretty well in those days myself, and we took plenty of time to go into parts of the country where game was plentiful. We'd travel far back in the mountains, and we'd get plenty of deer."

"I don't know how many deer we killed. We never kept any. Over a period of forty years I hunted a lot, and I wouldn't be surprised if my total was up around a thousand deer. We hunted often, and many trips we brought back six, eight or ten deer. We'd stay until we got as many as we went for."

"We used to like to hunt best in the winter months. I remember one year along about Christmas, Bob and his father, old Uncle John Morrow of Downey, and I, went back on the Los Pinos from the Elsinore side and we brought out a wagon load of deer."

"Another trip we took was back of Temecula. That time we were mainly after wild honey, and we got twenty-one gallons of strained honey. We only got two deer on that trip."

"Thirty-five years ago, I think it was, Bob Morrow and I went on an antelope hunt in the Antelope Valley. In my time I killed a lot of antelope. I like a fat antelope better than I do deer, but you can hardly eat the meat of a lean antelope. On that trip Bob and I got fifteen antelope, loaded them into our wagon and got home with them. It was cold weather and the meat kept fine."

"Early the next spring we went back. It had been a fearful winter up there, and the cow boys we met told us that the antelope had nearly all died. And they had, too. We found hundreds of carcasses in the little draws."

He Kills a Bear

"We drove to Trabuco canyon from Downey a number of times, and I killed one of those hunters that I killed the only bear I ever killed. I had seen a bear occasionally at a long distance away, but had never been in shooting distance of one. I'd seen mountain lions, too, but they were generally just sneaking out of sight. They never hung around where a man was if they knew it."

"This time in the Trabuco, I was hunting deer, and was on one side of the canyon when I looked across and saw a bear. He saw me about the same time I saw him. He was sitting on his haunches looking right at me. It was about eighty yards across, but it was away down deep in between us. He was kind of white at the throat, as the old grizzlies used to be, and I said to myself: 'You ought to be able to hit that, because at that distance you could hit a dollar ordinarily.'"

"There was a little oak tree right alongside of me, and I rested my gun against that. I sure wanted to take no chances on only wounding that bear. So I sighted close and pulled the trigger."

"You ought to have heard that fellow roar. He went over on one side, and rolled down the side of that canyon to the bottom. I had made up my mind that if he did come up my side of the canyon the safest thing for me to do was to climb the tree, and shoot him good and plenty. But he didn't come. Pretty soon his growling stopped."

"Bob and I got down to him, and he was the biggest kind of a Trabuco grizzly. It was so rough there that we couldn't get him out."

Settles on Mesa

"It was some years after this that Uncle Jimmy settled on the Trabuco mesa, where he lived until a year or two ago when he sold his place and moved into the Laguna canyon. That home of the Snaws on the mesa is declared by many to afford the finest views in the county. Rising high to the east are the rough sides of Old Saddleback, while looking in the other direction one can see beyond the Trabuco and the low hills to the ocean. On clear days good eyes can see a passing vessel."

"Uncle Jimmy and his brother, Lee Shaw, who lives in the Aliso canyon, used to hunt a good deal together, but it was Bob Morrow, now dead, who went off with Uncle Jimmy back into the mountains after deer."

"The worst fix I ever got into in the mountains," said Uncle Jimmy, "was with a big buck. It happened over in Coldwater canyon before we ever moved to the Trabuco. There were three families of us went in there to camp. My brother Tom and Boone Morris and I were going to do some fishing for trout, but we didn't catch anything the first day out."

"I went back to camp to get a shotgun to kill some rabbits and birds, but Boone had all the caps in his pocket and I couldn't use the gun. So I picked up a short rifle and decided to go on and kill a few rabbits with it. I went up a little side canyon and hadn't gone 400 yards when I came on to the fresh tracks of a big buck. It was the 2nd of July and hot, and I made up my mind that the old buck hadn't gone far, that he was under a big oak tree on a little flat up the canyon, which had a bluff at the upper end. I knew I'd have to get up close with that rifle I had."

"I did get up close, too, and when he jumped I blazed away and missed him clean. The next shot I broke his lower jaw. He was jumping

right up the side of that bluff. The third shot, over he went, and he rolled down the hillside and down into the bottom of the gulch. The gulch there was rough, and between me and the deer was a straight up and down place of ten or twelve feet, and I couldn't get to him by going straight up."

"I climbed around and came in from above. I could see him there down on the ground, his hair turned the wrong way, and I supposed he was just about dead. I was in a hurry anyhow, and I decided to jump down, cut his throat and drag him down the gulch so that we could come back and get him. My father had been an old hunter and he used to tell us boys never to get close up to a deer until we knew he was dead."

"Well, I kind of forgot about that. Anyhow, he seemed to be so near dead that I jumped. I couldn't get to him any other way than by jumping. So I laid down my rifle and got out my knife."

"I landed straddle of his shoulders and say, right then things were going on. I found out afterward that that third shot had gone through his shoulders and had disabled him a good deal. But his hind quarters were in good working order. I was so close up to his head—and he was a fine big five pointer—and grabbed his horns with my hands that he couldn't damage me much with his horns, but those hind legs of his were certainly working."

Fights to Finish

"I don't know just what all happened there. I supposed he must have rolled over with me, for when I got out I was dirty from head to foot and the dirt was sticking to the back of my shirt where I had sweat through. My legs were in reaching distance of his rear hoofs, and those hoofs were sharp. He tore off my overalls from the knees down and cut up my legs considerably."

"I held on to his horns for dear life, but managed to keep a grip on my knife, too. Suddenly, in a turn he threw his head against the bank and one horn stuck into the earth. Believe me, that was the chance I was looking for. I let go with that one hand and began ripping at his throat with the knife. Say, I was so excited I had his neck about half cut in two before I quit."

"I rolled him down the gulch and went back to camp. Maybe you think the women folks weren't wondering when they saw me coming in with my clothes torn and me all bloody and dirty."

"But he was certainly a fine buck, big and fat. He had been running down into the canyon and living off the alfalfa."

"That scuffle with the buck taught me the value of the advice that my father had given. Never after that did I get close up to a deer that I had shot until I knew he was dead."

OVERLAND WORKING FOR 600 4'S DAILY

The Willys-Overland company continues its remarkable progress in building Overland 4's, the sensational light car which has introduced a new standard of easy riding comfort, in its exclusive feature of the three-point suspension springs.

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MUST GIVE ARM SIGNALS ON ROADS

Law Will Be Enforced In This County to Prevent Auto Accidents

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county this week for failure to comply with the arm signals. The first men arrested were E. E. Schir, T. C. Smith and Ed H. Hauser, all of Los Angeles. Judge Cox has set the rate for such violations, first offense, at \$3.

Another section to which the motor cops will give closer attention is the regulation requiring the display of a red flag on any load that extends more than four feet beyond the rear of a vehicle. W. A. Manis of Los Angeles and T. L. Estes of Fullerton have paid fines for violation of this rule.

Will Enforce Law Strictly

"I have given the motorcycle officers instructions to enforce the law," said District Attorney L. A. West today. "We are going to enforce them strictly in an effort to reduce the number of accidents. I believe the proper observance of the regulations will reduce the accidents at least 50 per cent. By being strict in our own county, we will cultivate a habit among our own people that will cause them automatically to observe the rules wherever they go, thus preventing their possible arrest in adjoining counties."

That the campaign by the press and officers against carelessness in crossing railroad tracks has resulted in a great decrease in the number of such accidents, is the statement of R. J. Clancy, assistant

general manager of the Southern Pacific.

"For the year ending September 30, 1919," says Clancy, "there were forty-four grade fatalities and 160 injuries, compared with fifty-one fatalities and 205 injuries for the year ending September 30, 1918, a decrease in 1919 of nearly 16 per cent in the number of killed and 24.2 per cent in the number injured. "Nevertheless, during the year 1919, 452 automobiles were damaged or destroyed. Of these, 222 attempted to cross almost immediately in front of an approaching train; 116 ran into trains; 62 stalled on the track and were hit by trains; 6 skidded into trains or cars; 27 ran into and broke down crossing gates lowered to protect them from passing trains; 4 ran down and injured crossing flagmen trying to warn and protect them from approaching trains; 15 ran into crossing signals, cattle-guards, or were not sufficiently in the clear."

"In practically every instance occupants of automobiles had unobstructed view of track in both directions sufficient to enable them to observe approach of train before reaching crossing."

HEMET CANNERIES ARE BUSY ON OLIVE CROP

The two Hemet canneries are working at full capacity on olives, says the Hemet News. The Co-operative cannery began packing last week and quite a force of women are busily engaged sorting and packing. Last year they used 118 tons of fruit, both of the picking and oil varieties, and this year they expect to handle considerably in excess of this amount.

The Golden State cannery now has 100 tons of fruit on the floor and expects to handle about 100 tons more. This cannery is installing two retorts in which the heat can be raised to 240 degrees. The law requires that the fruit is subjected to at least a heat of 212 degrees for one-half hour. They expect to begin packing the first of next week. The crop this year is estimated at about 350 tons or a little in excess of last year. Prices are however higher, ranging from \$70 per ton for oil olives to \$350 for the jumbo grades.

STOUT TALKS ON OLD TIMES AND 1903 FORD

Main and Sixth In 1914 Considered Way Out of Town

"When I came here in the spring of 1914, Main and Sixth streets seemed to be way out of town," declared Joe Stout, of Knox & Stout, Ford agents, in a reminiscent mood today. "But look west on Sixth street today and you see two fine garage buildings in course of erection, one on each of the prominent corners of Sycamore and Broadway. It shows the development of Sixth street and expansion of the business district."

"I am glad to see Otto Kohlberg and Henry Gerken, with the Buick, and Chas. L. Davis, with the Chandler and Cleveland, moving up into class with the fine homes they are to have for their cars—but you see they haven't got the right kind of bait—they can't deliver Fords!"

"And speaking of Fords, that reminds me that a rear tonneau door, two-cylinder car manufactured by the Ford Motor Company in 1903—the year of that company's organization—and in use since that time, is still on the job. It is an eight-horse power car, has a 78-inch wheel base, a five-gallon gas tank and is owned by A. C. McCarthy of Portland, Ore. There were a number of that character of Fords in operation in Santa Ana for a time."

"Of course, the old Ford is not exactly possessed of the latest lines and it is beginning to wear slightly, but mechanically—why, even the aged brass horn works. The machine is now being driven on business trips through Oregon and Washington by McCarthy, who doesn't expect to be in the market for a new Ford for some years to come, since he's kind of got acquainted with the old one."

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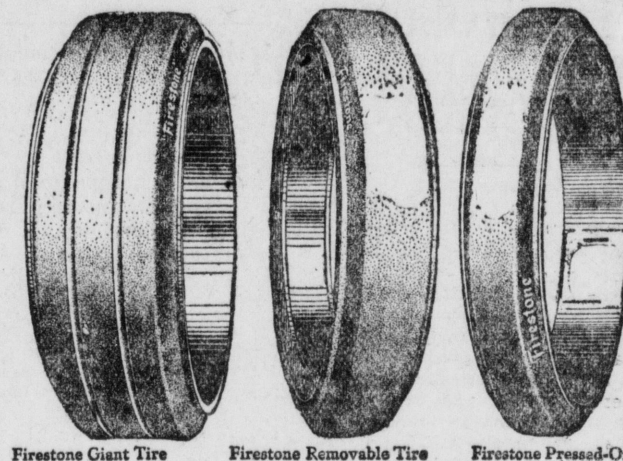
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CALIFORNIA BIG GRIZZLY NOW EXTINCT

Reasons For Disappearance of Picturesque Animal Are Outlined

"The California grizzly is now extinct," is the declaration of some naturalists.

Concerning the disappearance of the grizzly, W. E. Allen of the Scripps Biological Institute at La Jolla, has written the following:

California boosters always like to tell about the big things produced by their particular localities and by the state. It is also true that all mankind like to hear about big things. It is not strange then that reference to the California Grizzly Bear, the largest of the Grizzly tribe, should arouse a glow of pride in the loyal Californians and a thrilling interest in the outsider. Within the personal knowledge of many men still living in California, this magnificent animal was so common as to be a burden to stock raisers in certain valleys. It is only about 60 years since it is said to have paid frequent visits to ranches and cattle ranges in even the larger valleys such as the San Joaquin. Certainly there are old residents who can remember cases of cattle being killed and dragged away by bears though they may not have seen the actual performance.

Old settlers can give many accounts of thrilling experiences and narrow escapes during the period in which grizzlies were so numerous and courageous that they made no great effort to keep away from man. But at the present time even an old timer would have a hard time to find a California Grizzly, if indeed it can be done. Some naturalists are reasonably certain that the California Grizzly Bear is now extinct.

Had Great Strength.

Here was an animal of omnivorous habits and hence well prepared for getting some sort of unsavory food almost anywhere he might go. Of tremendous strength which enabled a larger individual to kill a horse or an ox at one blow and to drag it away for storage. Of astonishing dexterity, which enabled him to pick up with claws or with chop sticks, individual ants from beneath an overturned log or boulder. Of such quickness that he can catch trout from a stream or ground squirrels from a burrow. Of such speed that he could outrun a horse for short distances on level ground and long distance on rough ground. And of such tenacity of life that he has been repeatedly reported as fighting for some time after being shot through the heart. Having all of these things in his favor, why should he disappear from earth in less than half a century. There are several reasons, the most important of which centers in that enemy of nature, civilized man.

For one thing, the grizzly was not very cautious nor very intelligent. With his ability to ignore attacks of other animals before he comes of man with firearms, he had no need for caution. Much the same is to be said about his brain development. Food of some sort could be easily secured and so required no particular planning. Enemies were not feared and so required no particular watching or deceiving. If there were no trail through a wilderness which he needed to traverse, his great strength enabled him to push through without seeking for the easiest route. Having less need for brains than many animals, he failed to develop them, hence he was easily trapped or easily trailed on a hunt. After some experience with man, surviving bears showed more brain power, but too late to save the race.

Trophies Sought.

Another great weakness of the grizzly was his strength. This was so conspicuous as to not only attract the enmity of civilized man but of the savage as well. Any kind of grizzly was distinctly not able to the American Indian, and the greatest badge of courage was a necklace of grizzly's teeth secured by an Indian for himself. The white man eagerly brought to the hunt the same desire for a trophy with a much safer means of getting it. At the same time he came in ever increasing numbers which filled some of the most fruitful ranges of the grizzly, thus at the same time increasing the animals' enemies and reducing its food supply. Since an animal as large as the grizzly requires great quantities of food, this reduction of food became a serious matter.

Rather slow production is another factor which hampered the grizzly after invasion of his territory by the white man. In the main only one or two young were produced at a time and probably at two year intervals. Furthermore, they had to be cared for rather closely for about a year and did not reach maturity for three or four years. Hence that factor alone was almost enough to account for extermination of such a

large and conspicuous animal after the introduction of improved firearms.

Regrets Expressed.

Many nature lovers and naturalists express regret at the passing of an animal so picturesque and interesting especially since it had learned to fear man to such an extent as to be no longer injurious. However, regrets do not bring back to existence a vanished race whether it be bears or men, and all that is now left to us is a memory of a sturdy, independent and courageous character, and a realization of the fact that the biological laws which operated for the extinction of bears, apply equally to men.

Every day we have demonstrations of the fact that mere strength and power without corresponding intelligence is ruinous to the affairs of men, not only to the individuals immediately concerned, but also to those less directly concerned. The rule or ruin policy of many men is just as dangerous to civilization as it was to the welfare of the race of grizzlies. The man who boards or manipulates necessities of life for exorbitant profits because he can, is showing no more intelligence than the bear. The coal operator who decrees the stagnation of industry and the suffering of millions of people for the purpose of great personal gain is unintelligent. The labor unions radical who stifles industry, kills production and brings cold and famine upon millions of innocent people is still less intelligent because he is playing into the hands of the unscrupulous rich man whom he professes to hate while at the same time he is undermining the very foundations of national prosperity and existence.

Undoubtedly if all grizzlies had been as wise as some they might have maintained themselves for some time yet, even against superior hunting equipment. Undoubtedly, if all men were as wise as some, human progress would be more continuous and certain and less critical. In either case, whether it be bears or men, the results of folly affect not only the fool, but all concerned. All human history shows the operation of the same biological law which affected the grizzly, i. e., the greater the magnitude of an animal or of a group of animals, the greater the dangers and the greater the need of wisdom and far sightedness.

BIG HONEY CONCERN BUYS AT RIVERSIDE

Riverside Press: Another industry capitalized at \$50,000 is locating in this city at Thirteenth street and Pachappa avenue. Fred W. Redfield, president of the Superior Honey company, of Orem, Utah, and Idaho Falls, Idaho, yesterday closed a deal in which he purchased the home of Fred Kpeich on Rubidoux drive, and he also announced that he had closed a deal for the old packing house at Thirteenth street and Pachappa, in which he will establish the Southern California branch of the Superior Honey company. Redfield last night informed the Press that he would install temporary quarters in the building and conduct his business there until he was ready to build a new and modern structure. The lot has 150-foot front.

The company has already shipped 1500 colonies of bees from Utah into Riverside district and they have been located at various points in the valley.

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PARAFFINE BASE OIL BEST, SAYS HUDDLESTON

Cannot Determine Quality of Lubricants By the Way It Pours Out

"How can I tell good motor oil from poor oil?" This question is asked sooner or later by every motorist.

"It is difficult to answer for a number of reasons," says C. E. Huddleston of the Home Oil Supply Company of Santa Ana, wholesale and retail distributors of Ventura motor oil.

"In the first place, appearances are deceiving. For instance, an oil may look thick and of good 'body' at ordinary temperature—say 60 or 70 degrees Fahrenheit—and may pour out of a quart measure like honey.

"But that is no indication of how it will act when it is heated to 300 or 400 degrees Fahrenheit in the cylinders of an automobile engine. It may become as thin as water and be of very little, if any, value in lubricating the bearings, cylinder walls and the other hot, working parts of the motor.

"On the other hand, an oil that looks much thinner when poured from the oil measure may be able to resist heat and retain its 'body' sufficiently to cling to the hot working parts, thus protecting them from wear.

"Paraffine-base oil has heat-resisting qualities which enables it to do this to a remarkable degree. Asphalt-base oil, on the other hand, may look thick and viscous at ordinary temperature, but break down under heat, becoming so thin as to almost lose its lubricating value.

"Therefore, to judge motor oils by their looks in a quart measure or in a bottle is impossible. Only laboratory tests will tell the story. Consequently, the motorist is at sea. However, he can play safe if he selects a good paraffine-base oil of a grade suited to the make of his car. I say a 'good' paraffine-base oil because there are poor grades of this product. Again the motorist should use discrimination and select a brand of known quality manufactured by a concern with a reputation to sustain—a company that backs up every product that it puts on the market."

MURDER FARM BONES HELD FOR EVIDENCE

LAWRENCE, Kas., Dec. 13.—The fate of Rufus King, held for trial in the triple murder skeleton mystery, may be decided on the basis of data regarding the supposed skeleton of John Woody, alleged "murder farm" victim, which has been prepared by Hubert Shepard of the University of Kansas department of anatomy.

King's trial is scheduled for the March term of court at Lyndon, Kas.

At the continuance, Shepard appeared, ready to present what may be deciding evidence, regarding age, sex, height and nationality of the supposed John Woody. The skeleton was sent to the Kansas University school of medicine, after being unearthed last August at Maple Hill, Kas., on the property formerly occupied by King.

Two other skeletons unearthed on property said to have been owned by King may be sent to the university for identification. They are supposed to be the bones of Reuben Gutschall and William F. Ringer.

CATTLEMAN FLIES TO HOLD AUCTION

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 13.—The airplane threatens to take the place of the automobile in the Southwest. During the last six months rapid strides have been made in their use for business purposes. Men who have used them assert "they can't be beat."

One enterprising company manufacturing air machines has already established salesrooms—or rather fields—near here and are reported to be doing a big business.

The airplane has been brought forcibly to the attention of the oil and cattle men of this state during the past few months on two occasions when they were used in emergencies and proved reliable.

Col. H. L. Burgess, prominent cattleman of Chelsea, Okla., was slated to conduct a shorthorn sale in Kremlin, but missed train connections at El Reno. Roads in this section of the country are notoriously bad and rain on this occasion had made them worse. The colonel, however, telephoned to Oklahoma City for an airplane, which was soon on its way to El Reno.

The trip was made without mishap and cattlemen soon became interested in the aerial mode of traveling.

Oil men have stated their intention of using airplanes for scouting purposes and for emergencies which frequently occur in the oil game, requiring short but speedy moves.

THIEF WRITES THAT MONEY CHEST EMPTY

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—There is honor among thieves.

One Herr Dulak of Frankfurt who signed himself "professionally burglar," sent the following letter to the Frankfurter Generalanzeiger:

"With great surprise I read Friday in your valuable sheet under the title, 'The usual burglary,' of breaking and entering in of a dwelling in Wolfgangstreet. You write of cash that apparently was stolen out of the money chest.

"Therefore I call your attention to the fact that I broke into the chest, but that to my great astonishment and to the shame of the owner there was not a red heller therein. I ask you to publish this in order to avoid any unjust claim against the insurance company.

"Respectfully, Dulak, professional burglar."

PASSION PLAY ACTORS NOW IN DIRE STRAITS

OBERRAMERGAU, Bavaria, Dec. 13.—Crop failures and a hard winter have added to the war sufferings of the little group of villagers here known to the world as actors in the Passion Play.

E. Harvey Padlock of Los Angeles who brought Red Cross relief supplies from Vienna, found conditions bordering on starvation in some instances.

Anton Lang, familiar as Christ in the play, met Mr. Padlock at the train Sunday last and together they visited the homes of many players who needed aid.

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BATTERY CARE IS IMPORTANT TO SERVICE

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"I am often asked," commented L. B. Rowell, manager of the local "Exide" Service Station, apropos of some talk on the long life of one of his customer's batteries. "I am often asked by young and enthusiastic motorists just how long a starting and lighting battery will last. And frankly I can't tell them. If I could I would occupy a position in the battery world similar to that held by Douglas Fairbanks or Mary Pickford in the movie sphere.

"The life of a starting and lighting battery—even such a good one as the 'Exide'—is just as uncertain, just as dependent on all sorts and conditions of outside influence as that of us poor human machines. Some of us may appear to be in the best of health this week, next week we over-exhaust our constitution and the next week—pink roses preferred, no wreaths. Others of us look frail and careworn and yet do and keep on doing when many of our huskier looking acquaintances are being ferried over the well known stry. It's all more or less of a gamble—with this one exception. You know and I know that the surest way to keep ourselves fit and fine for our work and to preserve the health that old dame nature gave us, to a ripe old age, is by giving ourselves the best of care—to keep regular habits, to restore our tissues with the proper sort of food and drink, to regain expended energy by the proper amount of rest.

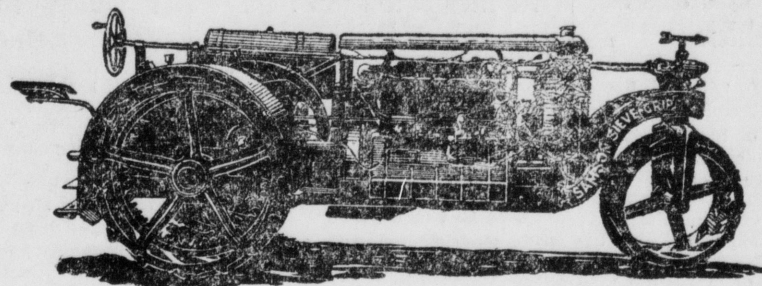
"And the storage battery in the automobile is exactly similar. The motorists who get the ultimate best, both of performance and of life, from their batteries are the motorists who give those batteries the best of care. I have known 'Exide' batteries that were in continuous service for three, four, even five years and that they were still hale and hearty. I have known others that were ruined by careless owners in six months.

"No sir, I make no forecast about the life of any battery. But I will say that if I'm given the care of a battery from the very start, given it regularly and unreservedly, I will be pretty apt to get out of it every ounce of performance and lifetime the manufacturer put into it."

CIRCULAR SAW RIPS THUMB OF WORKMAN

ORANGE, Dec. 13.—E. A. Claustermeyer of South Tustin and Palmyra avenue, who is employed by the Orange Contracting and Milling Company, while cutting wedges with a circle saw had the misfortune to split the thumb of the right hand, cutting out part of the bone and necessitating the taking of several stitches.

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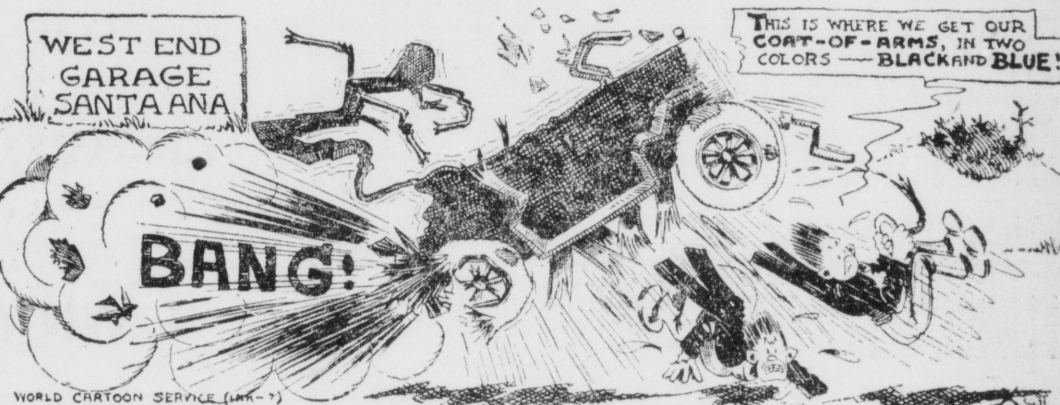
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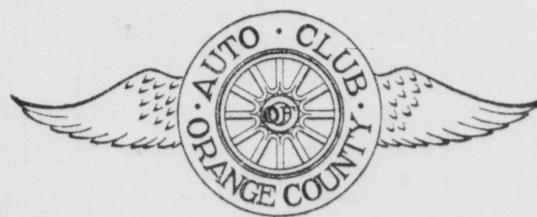
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ELECTRICS ARE MAKE SPEEDERS CAR FOR CITY WALK THROUGH TRAVEL MORGUE, PLAN

J. T. Van Why Comments On Use of This Class of Vehicle

There are many existing conditions in the automobile industry which puzzle men of broad business experience and understanding. Everywhere, even to the humblest home, the economy, comfort and practical worth of electricity is daily being demonstrated and acknowledged.

"These are days of maximum utility and service; of intensive values," says J. T. Van Why, local distributor for the Milburn Light Electric. "The highest percentage of efficiency in all things is being striven for and nationally advocated. The exigencies of the times demand that the most must be accomplished with the minimum amount of wasted material, effort or expense.

"When it comes to the use of the automobile, however, although a great step forward was made by the adoption of the electric starter, the general automobile riding and driving public are still only skimming the surface of the greatest motive power of the age.

"Certain cities, perhaps, notably Chicago, Cleveland and St. Louis, are not so backward as others, have to a slightly greater degree, adopted as their means of transportation, the simple, dependable and economical electric automobile. Although very few presidents, high officials and executives are without an electric car, the public generally accepts the more troublesome gas car. To move themselves about town when an electric would with much less annoyance and much less strain better serve their needs.

"For some unexplainable reason, the electric automobile is looked upon with indifference by the majority of those who transport themselves about the city, yet it never occurs to these people that here in Santa Ana, where we have the finest streets of any city in the world, a city that is practically flat, well paved, where electric power is cheaper than in any other city of its size—the electric car would serve their transportation needs better in every respect.

"But just as sure as the modern woman has driven the drudgery of housekeeping out of the back door by bringing electrical appliances into her home, so sure is the electric car to gain recognition of the progressive business man and busy woman of today, as the ideal automobile for town and suburban use."

USE IS FOUND FOR FLANDERS RED MUD

ROULERS, Belgium, Dec. 13.—Flanders mud, the bane of all the armies that operated in Belgium, is of some use after all.

Lime is practically unobtainable in Belgium today and in many of the ruined villages, the refugees are laying stones and bricks against mud for temporary shelter against the coming winter. Others fill the chimneys in their chimneys and walls with it, and altogether it is becoming as much of a comfort to the refugees as it was a handicap to the soldiers who lived in it for months.

At Dixmude there is a little, low, cave-like building, made of stones from the old fortifications city walls. They are laid in the red mud of the nearby battlefields and over the top of it are arched pieces of sheet iron from British dugouts. In this little building, containing three tiny rooms, the affairs of the city are carried on; in one room an architect is at work on estimates of damage done to public buildings in the city. In another room the fortnightly supply of coal is issued and another room contains cloth, shoes, blankets and other articles which the Americans have supplied.

The mayor, by far the busiest man in town, divides his time between public affairs, weighing out coal, distributing supplies and cleaning mortar off of old bricks from the ruin of his house. He is laying these in mud, too, for his winter's shelter. His example is being widely followed in Dixmude and surrounding villages.

GUINEA PIGS COSTLY. REDWOOD CITY, Cal., Dec. 13.—A Guinea pig nest built in the mechanism of the scales of A. Croni caused them to register underweight each time the pig family group was enlarged. Justice Griffin levied a \$5 fine.

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Court Sentences Suggested As Means to Stop Reckless Driving

Compulsory rides with police ambulances through traffic for three days.

Witness coroners' autopsies for a period of seven days.

Three to five days repair work on roads wearing red cotton shirt.

Service in "glass gang" to sweep up broken glass on local highways.

These are some of the court sentences proposed for speeders and "accident hounds" in Southern California by the board of directors of the Automobile Club of Southern California unless the death toll in accidents is reduced within the next ten days.

In keeping with the action of eastern cities where traffic law violators have been sentenced to take slow walks through the morgue in company with a deputy coroner, and to maintain a "death watch" by the bedside of their victims, the auto club officials are seriously considering drastic recommendations for local courts to adopt.

It is proposed to recommend that confirmed speeders be sentenced to do repair work on the rural roads with hot asphalt, wearing red cotton coats of a brilliant hue. The auto club will furnish the coats, according to President Fred L. Baker. For those who are careless with night headlights and windshield glass, it is proposed that they serve on a special "glass cart" now being built by the club. There are an average of sixteen calls a day at the club headquarters complaining of broken glass on the highways and someone will have to sweep it up. Let the speeders do it, say the directors.

For those who drive their car at a reckless speed across street and highway intersections and smash into other autos, it is proposed that they be given the privilege of occupying the driving seat on the police ambulance on some of its wildest trips, and that they be allowed to thus see the errors of their way. One objection has been voiced to this by a club director in that it might encourage instead of discourage, fast driving.

Compulsory witnessing of the autopsies held over victims of reckless drivers is another recommendation which is being considered as a sentence for violators of traffic rules.

Other and even more severe measures are being contemplated by Auto club officials in their safety campaign, following the statement from police traffic bureaus of Southern counties that accidents have increased instead of diminished within the last month and that the death toll is growing.

50 ACRE MODEL FARM WILL BE EXHIBITED

MELBURN, Dec. 13.—One of the most unusual exhibits ever offered in an agricultural show will be the 50 acre model farm to be featured at the Royal Agricultural society's show soon.

The whole design planned by R. W. Harris, a member of the water commission, will be put into execution by government officers. The site for the farm has already been chosen, and upon it will be shown the methods of watering crops and trees and the priorities generally adopted in irrigation districts.

Land has been subdivided, channelled and graded in a manner suitable for horticulture and mixed farming, embracing dairying, lucerne-growing, pig and poultry raising, and the production of vegetables and fruits. Water will be measured by a new registering wheelmeter. Special buildings will also be constructed upon the site.

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OVERLOADING OF TRUCKS VOIDS GUARANTEE

Nash Agent Says It Is Bad Policy to Overtax Equipment

"In the merchandising of motor trucks, confidence of the buyer in the dealer from whom he is to receive service and in the factory that stands back of the truck, is no less important than the owner's confidence in the truck itself," says Howard Walker, Nash agent. "Confidence in an organization can be established only by fair dealing. It is imperative, therefore, that from the outset there be perfect frankness on the part of the dealer.

"This is one of the principles upon which the Nash Motors organization is built; it is a policy upon which the Nash factory is insistent and the result is reflected in the unusually pleasant relations that exist between owners of Nash trucks and the dealers with whom those owners transact business.

"In the sale of a Nash truck, in accordance with the factory principles, there is perfect frankness on the part of the dealer with respect to what may be expected of the truck in question. In the matter of overloading, for instance, the Nash Motors Company takes the position that no truck is capable of hauling excess overloads.

"There have been instances in the truck business where over-enthusiastic salesmen guarantee their trucks to carry as much as one hundred per cent more than their rated capacity. If their trucks were capable of doing this, it would be good business for the prospect to buy them assuming the selling price to be considerably lower than the price of trucks rated at the capacity wanted.

"But a guarantee of that kind in reality amounts to nothing, for the following reason: The tires of trucks are not guaranteed by the truck manufacturer but by the tire manufacturer and he absolutely will not stand back of his tires if the truck is overloaded. Incidentally the tires will be one of the first parts of the truck to give out under overloading abuse."

HOLDS ESTATE FREED OF INHERITANCE TAX

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 13.—The State Supreme Court has handed down a decision upholding the Fresno county court in its ruling that the state is not entitled to collect the inheritance tax on the estate of Herman H. Brix. The decision costs the state about \$100,000.

Brix, in 1913, made over to his wife, Helena S. Brix, property worth \$170,670, and assumed obligations to pay her annuities, which at the average duration of life would total \$72,120. In consideration of this transaction he secured release from his wife's claims and retained property valued at \$403,240.

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Transport Truck Company Has Model Facilities For Its Workmen

"The new daylight factory of the Transport Truck Company at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, which is now in operation, is one of the most modern and complete motor truck plants in the country," says A. C. Monkhouse, of Miller and Monkhouse, local distributors of the Transport. "It is of saw tooth construction, built of brick and reinforced with metal sash windows. Nothing has been left undone that will facilitate increased production and give comfort to its employees.

"The floor is laid with creosote wood blocks on concrete foundation and cushion sand. Shower baths of sufficient numbers have been installed in every department. While the entire factory is a flood of light during the day time without any artificial lighting, it is equally well lighted at night by an improved overhead lighting system, so arranged that shadow is absolutely eliminated.

"Forced ventilation has been installed whereby the air in the entire building is changed every hour. The air is drawn out by the use of large suction fans and is replaced by good pure air washed by a curtain of water.

"The present buildings have a capacity of twelve finished trucks per day and plans have just been completed whereby production will be increased to thirty per day, July 1st, 1920."

Miller & Monkhouse, the local distributors have for immediate delivery a one and one half ton and a two and a half ton truck, also a one ton model.

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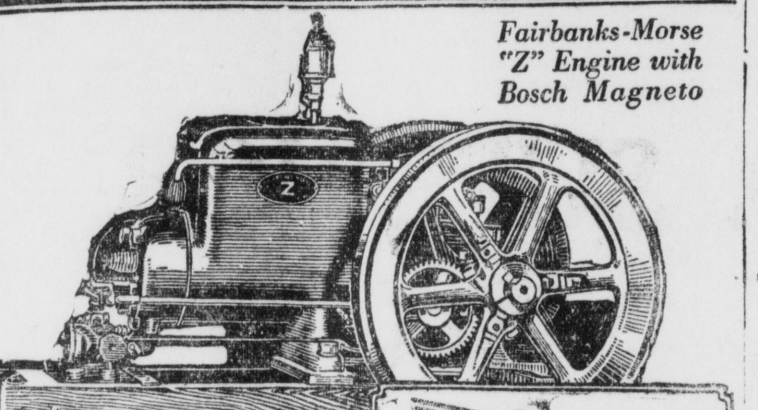
Sydney J. Arundel, who is to be the first citrus-fruit missionary to the Orient and Antipodes, in the interest of the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, will sail from San Francisco, December 15. Arundel has already applied for passports to visit China, Japan, Australia and New Zealand.

Before the war, Arundel was London representative of the exchange, and in recent months he has been working in the general offices here to familiarize himself with certain features of the big trade-extension program which exchange officers have mapped out.

While Arundel is on his way to the Orient to preach the gospel of Southern California oranges, the exchange will dispatch another extension man to the Scandinavian countries. These representatives are going abroad to obtain first-hand knowledge regarding the possibility of increasing the sale of California oranges and lemons by exportation.

FIRE IS DISCOVERED AND QUICKLY PUT OUT

BREA, Dec. 13.—But for the discovery by their little daughter at 2 a. m. Tuesday that the house was on fire, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Peak of the Birch lease, might have been without home or automobile. Peak, who is employed by the Union Oil company of the Birch, had returned with the auto at midnight. The garage is under the house. At 2 o'clock the daughter rushed into her parent's bedroom and announced the house was on fire. Fortunately, there was a hose already attached to a water pipe across the road and Peak played a stream of water on the flames, extinguishing them before serious damage was done to the house, but not before the body and upholstery of the car were destroyed. Mr. Peak thinks the blaze originated with electric wiring.



The Supreme Farm Engine

THE famous "Z" Engine and the Bosch high tension, oscillating magneto combine to make the one SUPREME farm engine. Call on us and see the result of this newest combination—FAIRBANKS-MORSE "Z" WITH BOSCH MAGNETO. We are substantially assisted in delivering maximum engine service by a nearby Bosch Service Station. Prices—1 1/2 H. P., \$75.00—3 H. P., \$125.00—6 H. P., \$200.00—all F. O. B. Factory.

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What Car Now Rivals The Hudson Super-Six?

Does Any Other Name Appeal Like Hudson? Developed By Ten Years' Experience—It Approaches the Perfection Men Had Predicted

Owners of Hudson cars understand the perfection that has been attained in the new Super-Six. They have had experience with its reliability and endurance. It was they who have done so much to aid in its development.

And therefore it is natural that when the new Super-Six was announced, the first buyers should be those who knew the car best.

Its Quality Never Questioned

Not since the first Super-Six—four years ago—proved its leadership on speedway and in road tests, has anyone questioned its position.

It was the coveted car of thousands who could not obtain deliveries and of other thousands who could not meet its price.

Now production is greater than ever. More buyers can be accommodated than has been possible.

Before you make your choice, look over all the fine cars. Let your decision result from the known qualities and their comparative prices.

Here Is Hudson Proof

The new Super-Six is just such a car as you would expect. It typifies all the experience gained in building 60,000 earlier models. Every speed and endurance test in some way influenced an improvement in its performance and endurance.

As a result the new Super-Six starts easier, rides easier and runs more smoothly. All the old qualities are retained—many are enhanced.

Think of the value of such a test as the double trans-continental run in which a seven-passenger touring car made the round trip from San Francisco to New York in 10 days, 21 hours. Or the 24-hour run in which one man drove 1819 miles. So also of the many speedway contests. Records more minute than the temperature charts of the most careful physician, were kept of every phase of Hudson tests. As a result Hudson engineers found ways of enlarging Super-Six attributes, not possible under other circumstances.

That is why each new Hudson is superior to its predecessor. It is why the new model is more desirable than any that has preceded it.

As Always In the Past, Hudsons Are Scarce

There have never been sufficient Hudsons to meet normal demand. Mid-season has always seen a Hudson shortage. This year is no exception.

Dealers are keeping delivery lists made up in the same sequence as orders are placed.

Some dealers are already sold out for weeks ahead. The situation grows more acute daily.

So see about your Hudson now.

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THE goodness, the efficiency, the quality in previous Maxwells created a demand for the current Maxwell which 100,000 cars (the number now being built) cannot satisfy.

This shows a rare liking for Maxwell; and the appreciation that every dollar devoted to its manufacture has been wisely expended.

Think what the making of 100,000 axles means; the making of 100,000 frames, 100,000 engines, 100,000 clutches, and 100,000 transmissions.

Think of the great saving that comes with the purchase of so many materials.

Consider the accuracy that follows as one after another of

100,000 axles is constructed.

Consider the vast use of capital it requires to turn them out—300 a day.

Estimate the confidence the Maxwell executives had in the Post-War model to rest the future of the Maxwell name on a year's production like 100,000.

They knew; 300,000 previous Maxwells had told them; the public was their judge.

You can look for high engine efficiency, or merely comfort, or long mileage on gas and tires, or improvements the war developed, or style, or value—you'll find it in the Post-War Maxwell.

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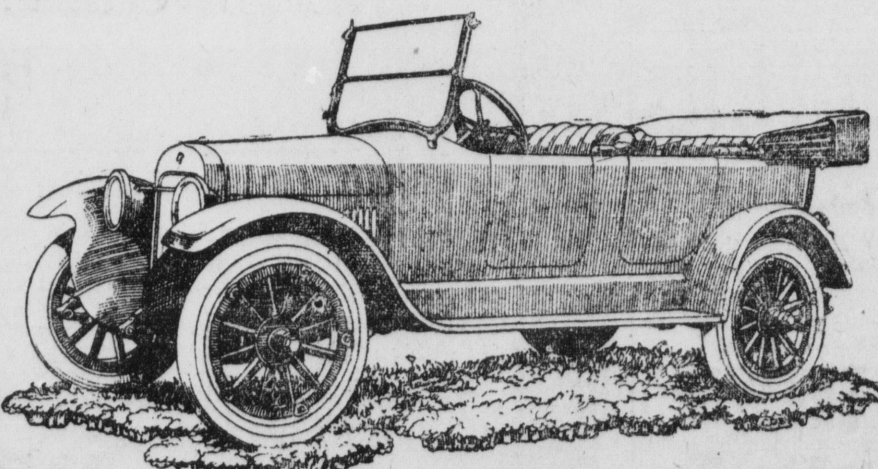
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KEEP EXTRAS ON HAND ADVICE OF DEALER

Stock of Parts For Machines Will Save Valuable Hours

One practice which is far too common among farmers is to put off purchasing repairs parts which they are well aware that they need eventually, until the old part has actually broken or worn out. These same men would not think of starting on an automobile trip and buying gasoline by the single gallon, but would buy it in five or ten-gallon lots. Yet in the matter of parts for farm machinery, etc., which they know very well are practically certain to be needed sooner or later, they seldom order any more than the actually needed, for necessary repairs. A little more forethought in this respect will pay large dividends in time and expense saved.

"To put the whole thing in a nutshell, 'forethought' is all there is to National Implement Repair Week, says M. Eltiste & Son, Orange.

"But with full co-operation on the part of American farmers this kind of forethought will accomplish wonders.

"It is impossible to state with any definiteness just what percentage of repairs could be foreseen, by a careful inspection during the slack season. There is no doubt, however, but that a very large proportion could be taken care of in this way, and reduce to just this extent the rush during the busy season. The old practice certainly adds very materially to the equipment cost on many farms, and this can be reduced only by the farmer himself.

"However, if farmer, for any reason whatever, does not care to go over his machinery and prepare such a list of needed parts, he can at least ask his dealer to do so, and it may be safely stated that most dealers will be entirely willing to help out in this manner, either by doing the work personally or having one of their men attend to it. This is not properly the duty of a dealer, but most dealers are willing to go more than half way in assisting their customers and in having the machine which they sell give satisfaction.

"Unfortunately, a great many repairs cannot be foreseen, as parts wear or break while a machine is in operation. There is one way, however, by which this breakage may be reduced to a very great extent, and that is through proper lubrication. It is no exaggeration to say that most farm machines are badly abused in this respect, and lack of oil certainly causes more rapid deterioration of farm machines than any other one factor.

"It is an old saying that oil and grease are cheaper than iron and steel and the saying is just as true as old. Not only do parts wear much more rapidly when they are not properly lubricated, but lack of lubrication also means increased draft and waste of power, as well as throwing unnecessary strains on different parts of the machine because of the increased friction in other parts.

"We will in the future as we have always in the past, do our utmost to supply our ranchers and customers with the necessary parts for their implements and machinery, but as conditions are today shortage of supplies and strikes on every hand, it will be impossible to get everything a farmer needs when he wants it."

TACOMA WOMEN TO HELP GATHER CENSUS

TACOMA, Dec. 13.—Leroy Thomas, a general census supervisor, who assisted in checking the Tacoma census returns ten years ago, is in the city preparing the way for the active work of taking the census under direction of Supervisor E. R. Livermore, beginning January 1. Mr. Thomas says he believes Tacoma is going to have an exceptionally good class of census takers. Most of them are women.

When baking cookies, time is saved if the dough is rolled into a thin sheet, baked in a large pan, and as soon as out of the oven cut into squares or triangles. When cool, the cookies will break apart easily.

Reserve your table for Xmas and New Years dinner at the Cherry Blossom, \$1.50 per plate.

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30x3 Kokomo Plain Tread Tires for \$12.75.

30x3 1/2 Kokomo Non-Skid Tires \$17.25.

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MOTOR VEHICLE POWER BRAKES ARE COMING

H. S. Kilnet Believes Time Is Coming When Air Brakes In Use

"The time is not far distant when all motor vehicles will be equipped with power brakes and AIR BRAKES are the only solution," says H. S. Kilnet.

"All cars are equipped with equalizers between the brake lever and the braking surface, but the tendency is, when applying brakes for one brake to take a firmer grip than the other, unless the brake bands are uniform in adjustment and wear.

"And then the brakes only apply on the two rear wheels and all the strain in stopping the car is on the rear tires.

"There has not been an efficient mechanical brake as yet invented that would work with any degree of satisfaction on the front wheels, owing to the movement of the front wheels in turning and steering the car.

"With an air brake each wheel has a separate brake and with a rubber hose or flexible air connection each brake acts independent.

"To get an equal pressure on each wheel there must be regulating valves to control the flow of air to the small cylinder that applies the brake, irrespective of the wear and tear or slack in the connections.

"Now then, in the Smith air valve which Mr. Smith and I have there will always be an equal pressure of air on every braking surface regardless of air leakage or any other cause, for our valve will at all times keep an equal air pressure on every storage tank, no matter if there be one or twenty vehicles connected to the traction unit.

"In hauling a trailer, when the truck slack runs in and when the truck starts, the slack has to be taken up between the tractor and the trailer—that's what is termed the slack running out.

"But if there was a brake on every wheel and applied with our system the braking would be uniform and both would stop at the same time and the slack would not run in, so if it did not run in it could not run out, and would out the strain on tires and equipment a hundred per cent, and that means a saving in dollars."

ASKS THREE MILLIONS TO BRING HOME DEAD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Appointment of a commission to investigate the advisability of bringing home from France the bodies of American dead is proposed in a joint resolution introduced by Senator Frelinghuysen, Republican, New Jersey. It would appropriate \$3,000,000 for the use of the commission, which would be charged also with looking after the proper marking of graves of soldiers whose bodies were to remain abroad.

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CAN STOP JAPS FROM BUYING RESIDENCES

Senator Inman Says Nothing In Treaty to Prevent Halting Practice

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 13.—Discovery has been made that there is nothing in the treaty existing between the United States and Japan that prohibits California from amending the present anti-alien land law so as to prevent aliens ineligible to citizenship from purchasing residential or business property, Senator J. M. Inman, president of the California Oriental Exclusion League, announced today.

According to Senator Inman, heretofore it has been generally believed the treaty reserved to the Japanese the right to buy this class of property. However, investigation revealed that the treaty only gives them the right to own "houses," saying nothing about the land.

Inman also announced that Guy P. Johnson, secretary of the league, is in Placer county investigating certain Japanese land owning corporations with a view to instituting proceedings against them under the provisions of the anti-alien land law.

Not only in Placer county, but in many other counties in the state, said Inman, the Japanese have formed corporations composed entirely of Asiatic aliens for the purpose of buying agricultural lands. Under the law the majority of stock in any such agricultural corporation must be owned by citizens or persons eligible to citizenship, declared Inman.

Inman said the league decided to make its start against the illegal Japanese corporations in Placer county as it is one of the strongholds of the Japs. Eventually the corporations in the remaining counties in the state will be investigated.

In making its investigation the league will keep a record of all agricultural corporations in which white persons are used by the Japanese as "dummy directors." In such cases it is likely the attorney general will be requested to proceed to dissolve the companies thus evading the law by means of subterfuge.

42 CTS. OF YOUR DOLLAR GOES TO FARMER

Truck Transportation, It Is Asserted, Will Increase Producer's Share

"Of every dollar paid by the average consumer for meat, milk, bread and potatoes, only 42 cents goes to the producer," says the Illinois Agricultural Association in reporting the findings of a recent investigation.

The cause of this increasing difference between the price to the farmer and cost to the consumer, according to R. E. Fulton, vice-president of the International Motor Company, manufacturers of Mack trucks, lies chiefly in the concentration of population in large cities and the resulting segregation of the farmer. Mr. Fulton suggests the improvement of highways, which will encourage the use of motor trucks and bring the farmer nearer to his market, as the only logical remedy.

"Years ago," he says, "when the farmer drove to town with his load

of eggs, they cost less than ten cents a dozen and the consumer received them fresh from the farm. Now, the growth of cities has pushed him back many miles from the city markets with the result that he must ship them to the city by rail where they are put in cold storage and delivered to the consumer months later at a price that has already passed the eighty cent mark.

"Of course, monetary inflation has had a great deal to do with the increased price, but there is no reason why this difference between the price paid to the farmer and that paid by the consumer cannot be diminished by the improvement of the highways and use of motor trucks to bring the farmer back to his old proximity to the market.

"Legislation that discourages the farmer in his efforts, whether it be insufficient appropriations for highways or any discrimination against the motor truck is contrary to the best interests of the people for whom he is the source of livelihood."

REGISTER AD BRINGS QUERY FROM DELTA

That Register advertising extends beyond the bounds of Orange county is evidenced to Ham this week by the receipt of a postal card from M. I. Greathouse of Delta, Utah, asking him for information as to his method of "doctoring" Fords to make them start easy on cold mornings.

"I see by the Register that you can prevent the 'drag' on a Ford when cranking on a cold morning," writes Greathouse. "Will you please advise me how to prevent same, or what part to put out."

While Ham is not making public property of the secret he has discovered, Greathouse will be advised, because he is a long ways from here. Ham's delight is in offering service that will bring relief to owners who suffer trouble from auto operation, and when Greathouse receives the information he requests he will be surprised at the simple expedient which will bring the relief he wants.

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A SUPERIOR SIX

The new Mitchell is a two years' revision of all standards in this class.

There are over 100 improvements. Most of them for added strength, endurance, smoothness and economy. ASK US FOR DETAILS.

The object is a more lasting SIX, one that will keep its newness, cut down service upkeep and operating cost.

LOOKS THE LEADER

This new SIX looks the leader. It is new in body, in design, in color, finish and equipment. It offers scores of improvements which appeals to the man who is buying a car to keep.

Full floating rear axles, Timken Bearings, 120-in. wheelbase, full cantilever rear springs, tires 33x4, upholstering pure leather.

MITCHELL 5-Passenger \$1895
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Transport Trucks are built UP to a standard NOT DOWN to a catch price.

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This Advertisement Is Good For \$2.00 On A New Bicycle Till Dec. 17th

On account of street car service not covering the residence district of this city, the next best and cheapest way is a BICYCLE, your own little private line to any part of the city.

Buy Christmas presents that are useful. We have the following makes to choose from: Harley Davidson, Peerless, Miami, Crown, American, Victory, Readington, Echo, Ariel Arrowfast and Enduro.

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ORANGE COUNTY HATCHERY, 403 E. Santa Clara Ave., Pac. 821-M. Thoroughbred baby chicks and hatching eggs.

WE ARE GOING to have something very special to offer in January. Read this coming season. We have contracted for all the eggs from Mr. W. F. Hines, who has the Greenleaf Cushman strain, which is founded from the best stock direct from Rhode Island. These birds win prizes whenever they are shown. It costs no more to feed these birds than it does a bunch of ordinary. You should order some baby chicks now from his best matings for spring delivery.

ORANGE COUNTY HATCHERY
Harold C. Hebard, Prop., 403 E. Santa Clara. Phone 821-M.

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H. E. JOHNSON—For sale or hire or day or month, Second and Spurgeon. Phone 134.

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AUTO WRECKERS and parts, all makes cars, 419 East Fourth St. Phone 344-138.

JUNK DEALERS

WE BUY junk of all description. 417-12 West Fifth St. S. A. Junk Co. Phone 1246.

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DAVIS GARAGE, 111 East Fifth St. Chandler and Cleveland cars, auto repairing, supplies, etc. Phone 24.

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RADIATOR TROUBLES—See Rutledge. The Radiator Man, 521 N. Main St., Santa Ana, Cal.

WM. F. LUTZ & CO., 219-221 East Fourth St.—Studebaker autos and implements, auto tops, harness, etc. Both phones 10.

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SANTA ANA COMMERCIAL CO., 110 East Fourth Street, Pacific 65; Home and short haul. Pacific 65; Home 386.

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POST CYCLERY—New and second-hand bicycles, Sundries, tires and repairs. Quick service. 306 West Fourth. Phone 152.

AUTO ELECTRIC WORK

ORANGE COUNTY IGNITION WORKS, 121 Spurgeon St., Pacific 333. Willard Storage Batteries. Pac. 333.

HAZARD & MILLER. Patent Agency. Established 1878. H. Miller, 6 years' experience in U. S. Patent Office. Los Angeles Central Building, 6th and Main Sts.

LADIES' TAILORING
FREE—Soft white pine shavings for stable bedding, tree mulch and chicken feed. California Crate Co., 609 Santa Fe Depot.

NOTICE—To all real estate agents, my poultry ranch of 2 acres, 1815 Hickey street is off the market. James Paganman.

MOVED—To 121 West Third street—Mitchell & Son.

SOCIAL DANCES
At the New Richmond (Nellie's) Hall, every Wed., Fri. and Sat. evenings. Fine music—4-piece orchestra. All Welcome. Service 8 p. m. Thursday and Sunday afternoon and evening.

FOR SHOEING AND CLIPPING
Bring your horses to Pete Krauch, 207 French street. Prompt service and good work guaranteed.

NOTICE—To Real Estate Agents, my property at 1234 Cypress St., this city, is off the market. Cleve Sedoris.

WANTED—Miscellaneous
Wanted—Poultry of all kinds. Highest price paid. Will call anywhere. W. C. Hebborn, 202 East 16th. Phone 1514-R.

WANTED—We buy, sell and exchange used household goods, any size lots, large or small. Clausen Furniture Store, 307-309 West Fourth St.

WANTED—2-wheel, solid tire trailer. In part trade shelled corn, popcorn, walnuts or produce. Walter Barstow, Garden Grove, Buaro Road, near Orange.

WANTED—To affiliate with a good estate plan. Have had experience. Own a home here; have auto. Can give first-class references. Address G. 40, care of Register.

HELP WANTED—To pick peanuts for 4¢. Bring nuts and sacks; ½ mile west of Boise. E. O. Bachman.

WANTED—Experienced crockery salesman until holidays. Address L. Box 107, Register.

WANTED—Man to drive milk wagon and help around dairy. Inquire 1247 West 4th.

WANTED—Man and wife; man to do ranch work, wife to cook for few men. Lights, house, food and groceries furnished. Phone 335-RI. Order examinations and estimates 7 and 8 evenings. Bixby Development Co.

WANTED—50 gum trees cut on shares. Inquire 1131 West Third.

WANTED—Bus boy, Apply at the Cafeteria, 221 West Fourth St.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
Wanted—Woman to wash silverware, or man and wife to help in kitchen. 211 North Sycamore.

WANTED—Lady to do simple bookkeeping 2 or 3 hrs. week. Address Z. Box 36, Register.

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WANTED WORK—by the day, 523 N. Baker. Phone 825-J.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags at Register office.

WANTED—To rent furnished house, 5 or 6 rooms, on paved street, with garage. Phone 1565 or call at 3013 North Sycamore.

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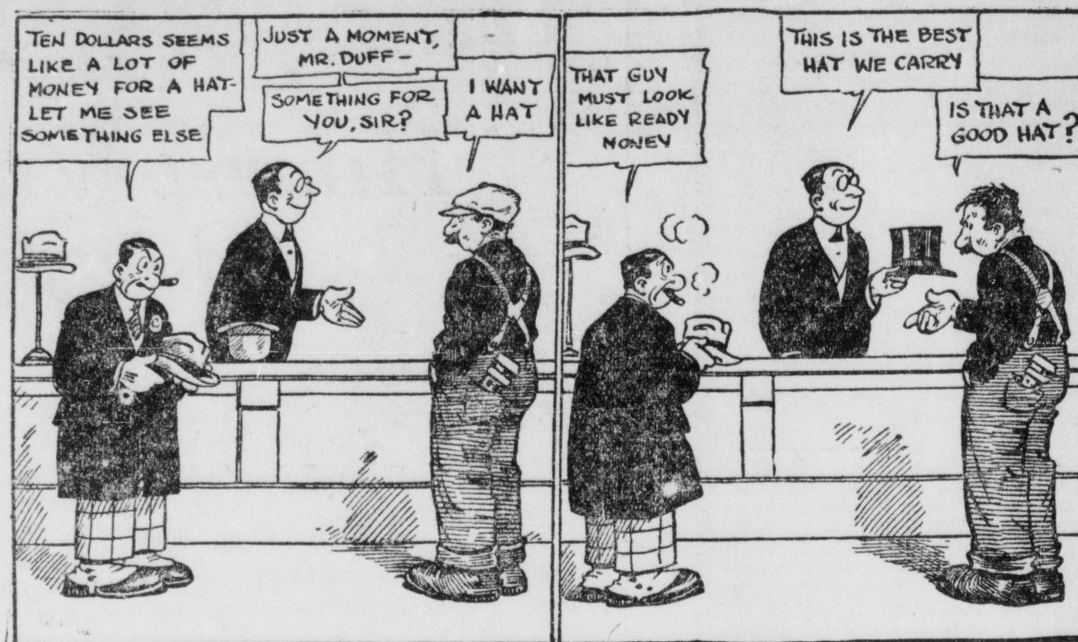
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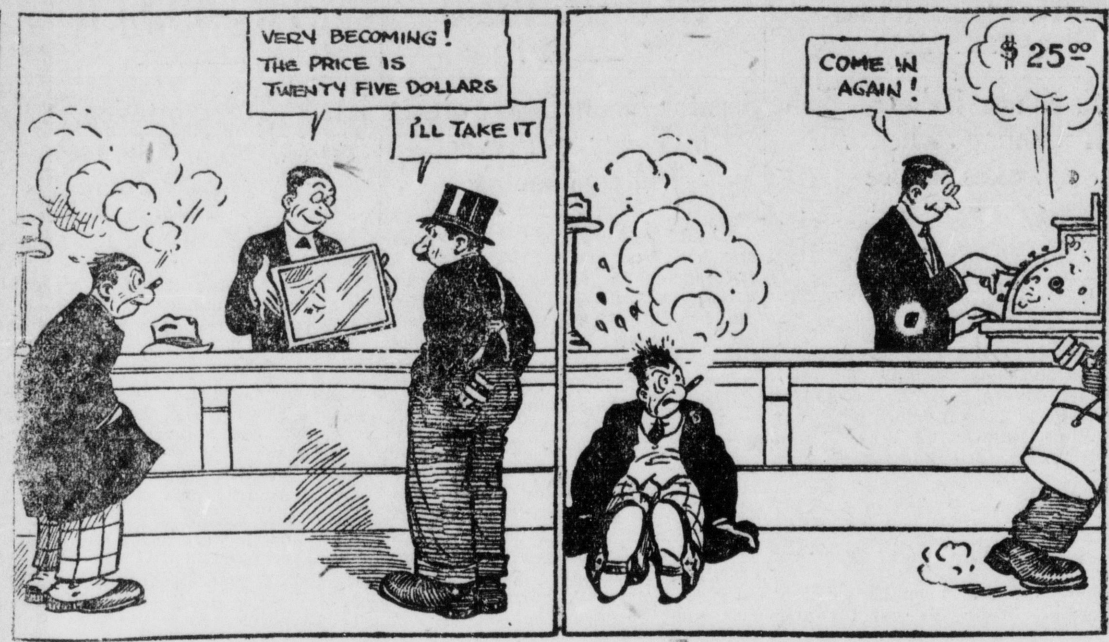
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TO LOAN—\$500 to \$750, three to five years, on real estate security, 7 1/2%. J. W. McCormac, Phone 1515.

MONEY WANTED

WANTED—\$4000 on good acreage at 6 percent. Box 100, R. D. 3, Santa Ana.

OWNER of substantial business block on principal street, willing to borrow from \$10,000 to \$15,000 at 6%. No commission. Address A. Box 35.

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REAL BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

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WHITE Minorca cockerels, fine to cross with White Leghorns. Some pullets and hens. T. H. Bowen, 621 South Sycamore.

70 BARRED ROCKS for sale. 206 W. Washington avenue.

FOR SALE—Bronze turkeys, from 10 to 25 lbs. Breeding or eating laying pullets. Saamee Duck Club, 1 1/2 miles northeast Sunset Beach.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn hens, 9 Barred Rock pullets, white Leghorn and Barred Rock roosters. Fresh eggs. W. H. McCord, 610 Orange Ave.

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FOR SALE—My home at 320 West 19th. Leaving town reason for selling. Phone 325.

WANTED—To sell 5 lots on corner of Artesia and Hickey Sts., by owner. 270 Artesia St.

FOR SALE—Five-room modern bungalow; paved street, garage, fruit. Address Owner, 117 Hawthorne Place, Pomona.

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LOOK AT West Third street, 1135-1137, 3-room house for sale at \$2,500.00. Would like all cash. Q. Box 47, Register.

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7 ROOMS, close in, south side, fruit, garage, only \$2500. \$250 cash. DORR & GRINDROD, 316 West Fourth St.

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For Sale—Modern 6 room house, close in on South Main. \$4500. This is the best of the lot built in town. See us at once about it as it won't last long.

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5 HOUSES, very close in, good income, for \$12,500. Call 248.

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News from Orange County Towns

Laguna Beach

LAGUNA BEACH, Dec. 13.—The Social club of the Woman's Relief Corps of the G. A. R. of Santa Ana and several members of the G. A. R. and their wives motored down to Laguna Beach Tuesday to surprise one of their members who now lives in Laguna. Mrs. S. C. King. They brought well filled lunch baskets. Mrs. King made hot coffee and a jolly picnic was enjoyed in the King's charming palm garden. Music from a piano and phonograph was a pleasant addition to the festivities. Addresses were given by Rev. Hall, Chaplain of the G. A. R., Rev. Josslyn of Laguna Beach, and Commander Mayratt of the G. A. R. Mrs. Frasier of Laguna sang, Mrs. Huntington of Huntington Beach and Mrs. S. C. King gave interesting readings. Kodak pictures were taken of the party, both in front of the palm garden and on the shore. In the afternoon the art gallery was visited and some time spent in viewing the pictures.

The pictures in the gallery have been rehanging and some new ones added for Christmas. Hanson Puttiff's large canvas, "Hills of Santa Ynez," was sold this week to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Stevens of Tustin. Conway Griffith has several magnificent desert pictures at his studio that he did on his recent trip.

Edgar Payne and Harold Weaver left Wednesday on a trip into the mountains to paint.

R. D. Fullerton, who painted here in the summer, has returned. He is accompanied by his mother, who is also an artist. They are occupying the "Paint Box" cottage and expect to reside here permanently.

Karl Vens has two large pictures and one small one hung in the gallery, the first he has shown here.

Wm. V. Cahill is showing a silver medal picture, a figure painting called "The Letter"—a girl in a blue kimono seated at a breakfast table reading a letter.

Mrs. Tanberg's pictures have arrived from the east and one called "Carnival Night" is in the gallery.

R. Clarkon Colman has been searching the community for cloths to use as paint rags. Needless to say, where there are so many artists there are few old cloths to be found. However, one friend came to his rescue, giving him a few that she had been saving for a rag rug.

"Laguna Life" is shortly to have a new abode. Joe Skidmore has purchased the Whisler building next to the garage and the "Life" will occupy the corner room.

Mrs. F. A. Phillips and son, L. M. Phillips, are at their cottage on the Cliffs. Mrs. Phillips expects to remain in Laguna for some time. They arrived Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francisco J. Manrique have motored up to Santa Barbara for a short visit.

J. N. Isch, Oscar Farman and John Derkum have returned from a hunting trip to the Imperial Valley. They saw many ducks, but found it difficult to get near enough to shoot. They went over the whole valley and had a most interesting trip. Mr. Isch brought home some cotton bolls and says there is an excellent crop in the valley, which is now being picked.

Miss Emily White of Arch Beach had as her guests Sunday, her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Howe and their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Howe, who have recently come to Los Angeles from San Francisco. L. B. Howe is with the Guaranty Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles, and is well known in Santa Ana.

Among those at the Laguna Beach hotel are Mr. and Mrs. F. Isbell and son from Wichita, Kansas; Omar Parke of Long Beach; Mrs. W. B. Kell and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Prest of San Francisco.

A company of Metro motion picture people were at Arch Beach one day this week finishing up a few scenes of their picture, "Should a Woman Tell," which was taken there last month.

Dr. Day has returned to Laguna after a month spent on the desert. Charlie McKen motored over from Capistrano Tuesday afternoon, but returned after a few minutes' stop in Laguna.

William Watrous came up from San Diego Thursday to visit his aunt, Miss Mary Watrous. He expects to stay until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Crandell and Mrs. Alice Maynard Griggs motored over from Long Beach Tuesday to visit the gallery.

Miss Annie Bowman of Hoods Hole, Massachusetts, was down this week from Pasadena, looking for a place for herself and a friend to stay while they painted.

Rain commenced falling about seven-thirty Thursday evening.

811 COUNTY ANGLERS ARE ISSUED PERMITS

Eight hundred and eleven anglers' licenses were issued in Orange county during the present year, according to a report which County Clerk J. M. Backs today forwarded to the Fish and Game Commission at San Francisco. Licenses for 1920 will be available for issue by January 1, Backs said.

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Garden Grove

GARDEN GROVE, Dec. 13.—The Ladies' Missionary Circle held their annual all-day session at the Baptist church, Wednesday. The forenoon was devoted to sewing for the Mexicans. About forty partook of a 1:30 o'clock dinner.

Following the usual business routine, officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. G. A. Francis; vice-president, Miss Maud Aronhalt; secretary, Mrs. Amy Graves; treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Knapp; church aid, Mrs. J. G. Allen; work committee, Mrs. G. L. Beardsley, Mrs. M. B. Allen, Mrs. Ernest Arrowsmith; visiting committee, Mrs. E. Arrowsmith, Mrs. G. F. Crane; literature committee, Mrs. Mary Mott; program, Mrs. E. E. Bissett; extension, Mrs. C. G. Oertley; press reporter, Miss Maud Aronhalt.

Rev. J. W. Burrows, who has spent thirteen years among the Bolivian Indians, will give a lecture at the Baptist church Sunday, December 14, at 7 p. m. Stereopticon views will be used showing the life of these people. Rev. Burrows was at San Pedro, Bolivia, where Miss Mildred Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lee, has done such excellent work for the past two years.

Mrs. Amy Graves enjoyed an over-Sunday visit from her son, Ralph, who is a sailor on the Mississippi, in port at San Pedro. He expects leave of absence to spend Christmas at home.

Complimentary to her guest, Miss Helen Hursh, Mrs. E. A. Ladd entertained some of her associate teachers at 8 o'clock dinner Thursday evening. Those present were Misses Lillian Martin, Ethel Archer, Matilda Hill, Dortha Cavanaugh, Ethel Lyman, M. Miller and Miss Hursh.

Enumerators for the fourteenth decennial census of the United States have been assigned from Garden Grove. Miss Isabel Head, precinct 1; Miss Laura Alford, precinct 2; R. E. Geren, Buaro and Katella; Mrs. H. Boser, Stanton and Los Alamitos. The work will be accomplished during January, 1920.

W. W. Dungan has moved his family to his ranch, one mile east of town, known as the Harling ranch. C. C. Thompson took his children, Master Frank, Miss Dorcas and little "Jimmie," to Los Angeles Thursday to see Santa Claus and do their Christmas shopping.

Miss Frances Waltz has accepted a position with the People's Store for the holiday shopping season and entered upon her duties Monday.

Pay Barnett has resigned his position with Scott & Company and has accepted the position of bookkeeper for the Santa Ana Steam Laundry Company.

Among those who attended the funeral of Dr. H. W. Head at Santa Ana Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Reburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Price and A. J. Chaffee.

Mr. and Mrs. George May, Jr., are enjoying a visit from the former's mother of Brawley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Spain enjoyed a visit from their son, Willard, of Los Angeles. Willard is associated with his brother George in the real estate business.

Miss Elsie Clark has been assigned to the office of night operator for the telephone company, Miss Grace Steele having resigned.

See the pretty dolls in Mateer-Gemmel Drug Co. window—ten of them will be given away absolutely free—ask about them.

Harper Items

HARPER, Dec. 13.—Three shifts are at work drilling in the Interstate oil well No. 1, at which oil was struck four months ago. The well was heavily shot with cement to shut off the water and then abandoned until recently. A good rig has been erected about a mile north of No. 1 but drilling there has not yet begun.

Mrs. Mary E. Spencer, who was living with her son and his wife on Newport Mesa tract, had a fall while out in the yard where she was found unconscious. Just how the accident occurred is not known, but a hole in the ground near by indicated that she had misstepped into it and the fall caused paralysis of the right side. She was cared for as well as possible until Tuesday, when she showed no signs of recovery and was then taken to a sanitarium at Long Beach. In the injury she lost her speech as well as the use of her right hand and limbs.

The last meeting of the Friday Afternoon Club was held at the home of the president, Miss Alice Plummer, at which there was a full attendance of members and a good visiting delegation from the Ebell Club of Newport Beach. The hostess treated the party to a genuine surprise in the way of a nicely decorated Christmas tree bearing a gift for each one present.

Mrs. Quinn played a piano solo; Miss Woodworth recited a poem and the hostess served fruit salad and wafers, which terminated the joyous session. The next month's meeting will be an evening social, to be held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Quinn, when the club members may be accompanied by their husbands.

Since the late rains there has been much call for barley land to rent and there is now a good indication that every acre of available land will be seeded.

Villa Park

VILLA PARK, Dec. 13.—Mrs. H. D. Nichols left for Pomona on Wednesday evening for a ten day visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Thomson moved their household effects down to San Juan Capistrano on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. O. Field is spending a few days in Los Angeles.

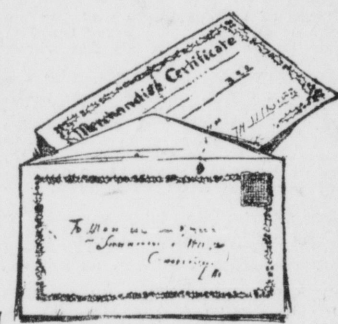
The Modern Priscilla Club met with Miss Elizabeth Lee on Wednesday afternoon. After a short business session the time was spent in fancy work and planning for an all day meeting at Laguna Beach with Mrs. J. B. Handy.

Two new members were taken in the club, Mrs. John Ragan and Mrs. C. E. Lush. Refreshments of chicken patties, Waldorf salad, hermits and tea were served and the meeting adjourned to December 17th. Those present enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames J. Allen, W. A. Adams, L. DeLong, C. Durnbaugh, G. Goetsch, J. B. Handy, A. E. Hughes, W. A. Knuth, Jr., A. L. Lechman, H. D. Nichols, C. A. Palmer, W. J. Rasch, A. Spurling, D. B. Wait, Misses Nellie Adams, Jessie Holditch, Margaret Holditch, and the hostess, Miss Elizabeth Lee. Visitors present were Mesdames J. Ragan, Guthrie, C. E. Lush, J. J. Jones, Lee and Misses Louisa Ryan and Alice Lee.

S. M. Bathgate is up from Escondido on a week's visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bathgate.

Willard Smith, W. A. Knuth, Jr., A. S. Adams, James Meahan, John Allen, directors and H. D. Nichols, manager of the Villa Park Orchards Association and L. D. Palmer of the Orange Fruit Exchange left Thursday to inspect the packing houses in the Lindsay section. They will be away until Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holditch spent Wednesday evening with friends in Anaheim.



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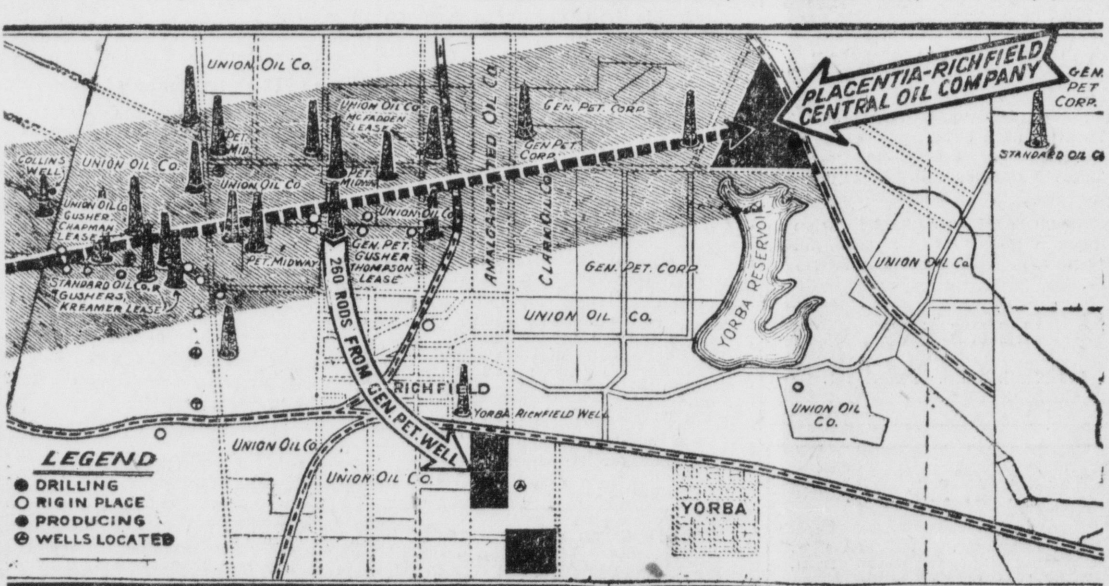
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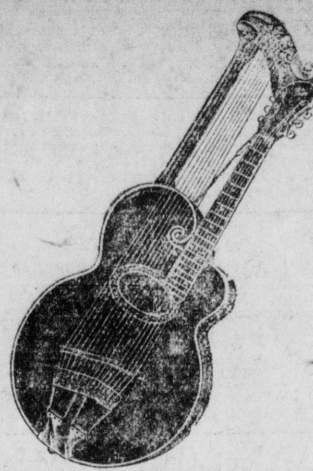
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